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Annual Report of the High Secretary-Treasurer

OF THE

Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters

TO THE HIGH COURT

May Twenty-sixth, Nineteen Hundred and Twenty

REPORT OF THE HIGH SECRETARY-TREASURER

For the Year Ending December 31, 1919

Representatives to the High Court:

In accordance with the provisions of Article VII, Section 6. of the High Court Constitution, I take pleasure in presenting for your consideration a statement of the condition of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters and a review of its accomplished work for the year ending December 31, 1919:

FINANCIAL CONDITION

Ledger Assets December 31, 1918		$1,132,666 48
Income during the year 1919:		
Mortuary Assessments	$592,296 22	
Emergency Assessments	93,552 00	
Per Capita Tax	34,049 00	
Medical Fees	1,086 00	
Interest Account	45,301 92	
All other sources:		
Supplies	1,247 01	
Bonds of Financial Officers	379 29	
M. C. O. F. Herald	4,224 90	
Profit on Bonds Matured	354 99	
Total income		772,491 24
Total income with balance		$1,905,157 72

DISBURSEMENTS

Mortuary Benefits Paid	$692,117 84	
General Fund Expenses	37,463 52	
Emergency Fund Expenses	855 91	
Total Disbursements		730,437 27
Balance Dec. 31, 1919		$1,174,720 45

LEDGER ASSETS

Mortgages on Real Estate	$247,632 50
Municipal, State and Government Bonds	847,091 37
Exchange Trust Company	46,904 49
Old Colony Trust Company	10,543 03
Federal Trust Company	5,611 79
Essex National Bank of Haverhill	3,368 90
Hub Trust Company	3,338 57
Prudential Trust Company	3,024 93
Commercial Trust Company of Springfield	3,021 29
South Boston Trust Company	3,017 53
Union Institution for Savings	803 52
Old South Trust Company	212 53
Cash in office	150 00
Total Ledger Assets	$1,174,720 45

The Ledger Assets are divided as follows:

Emergency Fund	$1,106,070 42
Mortuary Fund	46,904 59
General Fund	21,745 44
	$1,174,720 45

Non-Ledger Assets:	
Interest due and accrued on mortgages	$3,445 36
Interest accrued on bonds	8,858 55
Assessments collected but not yet transmitted	45,609 00
Furniture and fixtures	3,570 00
Supplies	800 00
Bills Receivable	1,830 90
Gross Assets	$1,238,834 26

LIABILITIES

Mortuary Claims	$50,400 00	
Expense Account	1,256 03	
Total Liabilities		51,656 03
		$1,187,178 23

The balance in the Mortuary Fund, December 31, 1918, was	$13,083 97
The number of Mortuary Assessments during the year was twelve	
The Assessments were Nos. 349 to 360 inclusive, and the amount collected was	592,296 22
The interest on daily balances amounted to	657 95
Transferred from Emergency Fund	132,984 29
Total receipts with balance	$739,022 43
The total payments from the Mortuary Fund were	692,117 84
Balance in the Mortuary Fund December 31, 1919	$46,904 59

The Mortuary Benefits due December 31, 1918, one hundred ninety-nine and the parts of sixteen others	$205,517 84
The Mortuary Benefits becoming due in 1919 resulting in 537 deaths	537,000 00
	$742,517 84
The total Mortuary payments during the year were	*692,117 84
The Mortuary Benefits due December 31, 1919, were forty-nine and the parts of four others	$50,400 00

* $132,984.29 transferred from Emergency Fund to Mortuary Fund.

DEATHS

The number of deaths that occurred during the year was 537, as against 838 in 1918; 538 in 1917; 531 in 1916; 458 in 1915; 447 in 1914; 408 in 1913; 370 in 1912; 375 in 1911; 333 in 1910; 304 in 1909; 261 in 1908; and 277 in 1907.

The death rate per thousand on the average membership in 1919 was 10.13, as against 19.4 in 1918; 12 in 1917; 12 in 1916; 11.0 in 1915; 11.2 in 1914; 10.73 in 1913; 10.33 in 1912; 11.1 in 1911; 10.63 in 1910; 10.45 in 1909; 9.63 in 1908; and 10.88 in 1907.

Three hundred seventy-one men and one hundred sixty-six women died during the year.

The average length of membership of members who died in 1919 was eighteen years; the average age at death was fifty-two years, three months, twenty-two days.

The total amount paid in Death Claims from the date of organization to January 1, 1920, was $8,126,948.02.

MEMBERSHIP

The number of members in the Order Dec. 31, 1918, was 43,073.

The number of members initiated during the year 1919 was 5,085. Total, 48,158.

The losses during the year were: deaths 537; withdrawals, etc., 485; total, 1,022.

The number of applications received during the year was 6,125, and of this number 5,405 were approved.

The average age of applicants admitted during the year 1919 was 28.7 years.

The average age of applicants rejected during the year 1919 was 33.4 years.

The number of women admitted during the year was 2,634.

The number of men admitted during the year was 2,451.

The number of women in the Order Dec. 31, 1919, was 19,908.

The number of men in the Order Dec. 31, 1919, was 27,228.

The following facts relative to our Order's progress will be found to contain much valuable and interesting information and constitutes a ready reference as to its growth from year to year.

STATISTICS OF THE ORDER FROM 1887 TO 1919

Year.	Membership at Close of Year.	Net Gain During Year.	Mortuary Benefit Paid.	Increase in Emergency Fund.	Management Expenses.	Number of Mortuary Assessments*
1887	3,180	600	$33,784 20		$3,315 75	10
1888	3,644	464	45,000 00		3,370 99	11
1889	4,270	626	57,839 00	$2,056 49	4,673 52	12
1890	4,556	286	54,000 00	2,392 31	4,166 87	12
1891	4,777	221	52,000 00	2,355 70	5,257 44	9
1892	5,572	795	59,000 00	3,325 79	5,677 21	10
1893	6,548	976	76,000 00	4,022 25	6,338 06	11
1894	7,186	638	48,000 00	4,346 12	7,120 47	10
1895	8,504	1,318	99,000 00	5,169 28	8,765 21	10
1896	10,067	1,563	93,250 70	6,950 22	11,988 05	9
1897	11,476	1,409	98,000 00	6,988 70	12,375 03	8
1898	12,876	1,400	131,000 00	19,096 57	11,786 38	9
1899	13,839	963	125,859 26	2,564 39	13,295 23	8
1900	14,943	1,104	151,732 12	17,616 27	14,288 52	10
1901	16,296	1,353	173,250 00	12,268 34	14,123 28	10
1902	17,789	1,493	160,708 34	13,569 86	15,394 53	9
1903	19,634	1,845	160,866 66	15,215 20	18,837 52	8
1904	20,938	1,304	220,716 68	16,279 71	16,436 57	9
1905	22,812	1,874	225,916 67	19,795 52	18,467 86	9
1906	24,445	1,633	221,111 06	32,298 81	20,510 98	9
1907	26,458	2,013	270,493 93	36,467 24	21,565 15	9
1908	27,757	1,299	267,909 30	38,645 48	22,981 60	10
1909	29,849	2,092	294,419 92	42,202 13	22,632 92	10
1910	31,886	2,037	328,107 41	46,517 76	23,921 84	10
1911	33,683	1,797	362,659 55	49,408 37	24,040 99	10
1912	35,817	2,134	375,126 19	60,004 26	23,538 51	10
1913	38,201	2,384	402,157 14	63,755 47	23,672 66	10
1914	39,856	1,655	444,384 84	108,820 72	24,253 72	10
1915	41,450	1,594	464,282 15	120,857 28	24,845 63	10
1916	42,936	1,486	510,024 68	128,906 48	24,880 94	11
1917	43,435	499	543,188 08	135,251 72	24,866 96	11
1918	43,073		682,169 10	75,051 62	29,447 85	12
1919	47,136	3,663	692,117 84	13,891 25	37,463 52	12

* The present graded plan of assessment to the Mortuary Fund was adopted at the Annual Session of the High Court in April, 1884, and went into operation June 1, 1884. Six assessments were issued in that year. Thirteen in 1885 and 1886. The total number of assessments levied to January 1, 1920, was 360, covering a period of 427 months.

From 1885 to 1895, inclusive, the number of assessments was 121, covering a period of eleven years, or an average each year of eleven. From 1896 to 1919, inclusive, the number of assessments was 233, covering a period of twenty-two years, or an average each year of 10.1.

SCHEDULE OF MEMBERSHIP, AMOUNT OF INSURANCE, NUMBER OF DEATHS AND LOSSES INCURRED AT ATTAINED AGE.

Attained Age	Number of Members Dec. 31, 1919	Amount of Insurance	Number of Deaths During the Year	Death Losses Incurred During Year
18	151	$151,000 00		
19	256	256,000 00		
20	348	348,000 00		
21	469	469,000 00	1	$1,000
22	547	547,000 00	2	2,000
23	679	679,000 00	5	5,000
24	689	689,000 00	1	1,000
25	799	799,000 00	2	2,000
26	844	844,000 00	7	7,000
27	910	910,000 00	6	6,000
28	951	951,000 00	2	2,000
29	1,012	1,012,000 00	4	4,000
30	1,039	1,039,000 00	6	6,000
31	1,047	1,047,000 00	7	7,000
32	1,069	1,069,000 00	12	12,000
33	1,069	1,069,000 00	3	3,000
34	1,149	1,149,000 00	12	12,000
35	1,275	1,275,000 00	5	5,000
36	1,188	1,188,000 00	7	7,000
37	1,138	1,138,000 00	7	7,000
38	1,164	1,164,000 00	9	9,000
39	1,283	1,283,000 00	8	8,000
40	1,276	1,276,000 00	9	9,000
41	1,298	1,298,000 00	7	7,000
42	1,234	1,234,000 00	12	12,000
43	1,370	1,370,000 00	8	8,000
44	1,439	1,439,000 00	13	13,000
45	1,359	1,359,000 00	13	13,000
46	1,374	1,374,000 00	6	6,000
47	1,337	1,337,000 00	7	7,000
48	1,286	1,286,000 00	11	11,000
49	1,257	1,257,000 00	14	14,000
50	1,238	1,238,000 00	14	14,000
51	1,178	1,178,000 00	17	17,000
52	1,227	1,227,000 00	18	18,000
53	1,152	1,152,000 00	11	11,000
54	1,106	1,106,000 00	19	19,000
55	1,082	1,082,000 00	19	19,000
56	1,022	1,022,000 00	15	15,000
57	912	912,000 00	13	13,000
58	842	842,000 00	13	13,000
59	796	796,000 00	12	12,000
60	639	639,000 00	17	17,000
61	542	542,000 00	13	13,000
62	457	457,000 00	18	18,000
63	444	444,000 00	9	9,000
64	352	352,000 00	20	20,000
65	308	308,000 00	14	14,000
66	239	239,000 00	9	9,000
67	231	231,000 00	10	10,000
68	196	196,000 00	7	7,000
69	170	170,000 00	7	7,000
70	120	120,000 00	9	9,000
71	157	157,000 00	14	14,000
72	96	96,000 00	6	6,000
73	96	96,000 00	5	5,000
74	61	61,000 00	3	3,000
75	43	43,000 00	3	3,000
76	33	33,000 00	3	3,000
77	28	28,000 00	2	2,000
78	16	16,000 00	2	2,000
79	14	14,000 00	2	2,000
80	18	18,000 00	4	4,000
81	2	2,000 00	1	1,000
82	4	4,000 00	1	1,000
83	2	2,000 00		
84	3	3,000 00	1	1,000
85	2	2,000 00		
and over	2	2,000 00		
Total	47,136	$47,136,000 00	537	$537,000

QUARTERLY REPORTS

There are yet many Courts whose officers have been negligent in the matter of forwarding completed records to the High Standing Committee. The representatives to the High Court should pay special attention to the necessities of this situation in reporting the proceedings of the convention to their respective Courts, thereby helping to bring about a high standard of efficiency, which will aid very materially in carrying on the work of the Order.

RECORDING SECRETARIES

It is of the utmost importance that recording secretaries should be most careful in the matter of transmission to the office of the High Secretary-Treasurer such official documents as should be in his custody. In this connection, recording secretaries, without any delay, should forward to headquarters all notices of initiations, suspensions, reinstatements, designations of beneficiary, acceptances and withdrawal cards. Carelessness in this matter may cause serious difficulties to arise, particularly in the matter of designations of beneficiary. Each member of the Order is entitled to the greatest care in this matter, so that all of his and her rights incident to membership may be preserved.

TRANSFER TO THE EMERGENCY FUND

On December 8th a transfer of $10,000 from the General Fund to the Emergency Fund was ordered by vote of the High Standing Committee, and this amount was placed to the credit of the Trustees of the Order in the Old Colony Trust Company.

INFLUENZA AND DEATH RATE

After the terrible influenza epidemic of last year it was feared that there would be a recurrence this year and that large numbers of deaths would occur because of the weakened condition of those who had been afflicted but who had recovered.

I am pleased to report, however, that while there was a mild recurrence of this dread disease during the past winter, the Order was not materially affected by it, the death rate having been about normal.

THE HIGH STANDING COMMITTEE

Our High Chief Ranger, Brother William H. Thomas, has been most zealous in discharging the duties of his office. He has done all in his power, aided by the constant and faithful work of the High Standing Committee, to increase the membership, and he has the distinction of having been High Chief Ranger in the Order's most successful year.

In submitting this report for your consideration and action, I am completing my tenth year of service as High Secretary-Treasurer and my sixteenth year as a member of the High Standing Committee.

At the earnest request of my family, whose desires are of paramount importance, and acting upon the advice of my physician, I have decided to relinquish the burdens and cares of office and not to be a candidate for re-election. I am pursuing this course with feelings of deep regret, for it makes it necessary for me to sever official relations which have brought me into close association with a large part of the membership of the Order, in consequence of which I have made many firm and lasting friendships.

My official relations with officers and members have been most pleasant and I return to them my heartfelt thanks for the kind consideration manifested towards me at all times.

It has been a source of great satisfaction to me to have been your High Secretary-Treasurer during ten years of the Order's greatest progress and I trust that in some measure I have contributed to its advancement.

When I first assumed the duties of this office, we had a total membership of 29,849, of which 19,152 were men and 10,697 were women. In the Emergency Fund there was $303,600.23. On December 31, 1919, we had a total membership of 47,136, of which 27,228 were men and 19,908 were women, and the Emergency Fund had reached the inspiring total of $1,106,070.

In the past six years, by careful management of the expenses of the Order, we have been able to transfer a total of $48,000 from the General Fund to the Emergency Fund.

The great value of the Emergency Fund was clearly established when the influenza epidemic befell us. During this terrible catastrophe $197,484.29 was transferred from the Emergency Fund to the Mortuary Fund in order to enable the High Standing Committee to meet the emergency and save the membership from the great burden which would have been imposed by the levying of extra assessments.

While the great war with its attendant evils caused a period of temporary depression in the Order, as elsewhere, the termination of hostilities brought with it a renewal of active development which has been steadily increasing. In this connection the so-called "drives" for membership have aided very materially in the increase of membership, but in the midst of our enthusiasm we should not be unmindful of the constant necessity of obtaining the same high quality of risks as has been the custom in the past. To secure a sound and safe increase should be our purpose at all times.

In returning to you the trust committed to me ten years ago, I take this occasion to express my thanks to the members of the Order for the many courtesies extended to me and the large measure of confidence which they have reposed in me and I hope that I have proved worthy of their trust. I am grateful for the support, encouragement and assistance rendered to me by the members of the High Standing Committee and the clerks employed in the office. I would be failing in my duty if I did not make special mention of Miss O'Donnell, the chief clerk, who during all my years of service has been a most faithful, earnest, loyal and thoroughly competent assistant. Her services to the Order in the office of the High Secretary-Treasurer have been invaluable and of the highest order of excellence.

I retire from office with the most kindly feelings towards all, and the earnest hope that the Order may continue to grow in strength, power and usefulness.

Fraternally yours,

DANIEL H. MAGUIRE,
High Secretary-Treasurer.

ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT

January 1, 1920

	Emergency	Mortuary	General	Total
Balance Jan. 1, 1919		$13,083 97	$27,403 34	$40,487 31
RECEIPTS:				
January	183 00	45,880 65	1,277 19	47,340 84
February	162 00	131,687 62	315 56	132,165 18
March	286 00	53,241 87	371 08	53,898 95
April	3,000 00	50,565 79	300 67	53,866 46
May	40,850 00	89,852 79	506 75	131,209 54
June	1,291 00	51,510 80	1,365 21	54,167 01
July	613 00	47,999 26	2,143 71	50,755 97
August	212 00	48,758 97	29,992 83	78,963 80
September	226 00	52,452 73	2,582 62	55,261 35
October	3,649 00	50,509 10	956 40	55,114 50
November	40,696 10	49,447 10	1,147 37	91,290 57
December	2,383 90	54,031 78	846 23	57,261 91
Total Receipts for Year	$93,552 00	*725,938 46	$41,805 62	$861,296 08
Total Receipts with Balance	93,552 00	739,022 43	69,208 96	901,783 39
PAYMENTS:				
January	$183 00	$53,500 00	$1,816 49	$55,499 49
February	162 00	124,892 85	4,016 33	129,071 18
March	286 00	63,100 00	2,240 73	65,626 73
April	3,000 00	49,900 00	2,544 34	55,444 34
May	40,850 00	90,416 66	4,627 56	135,894 22
June	1,291 00	50,025 00	4,527 52	55,843 52
July	613 00	37,800 00	1,864 73	40,277 73
August	212 00	37,666 77	4,386 82	42,265 59
September	226 00	27,500 00	1,408 16	29,134 16
October	3,649 00	46,200 00	2,584 58	52,433 58
November	40,696 10	34,000 00	3,258 03	77,954 13
December	2,383 90	77,116 66	14,188 13	93,688 69
Total Payments	$93,552 00	$692,117 94	$47,463 42	$833,133 36
Balance Dec. 31, 1919		46,904 49	21,745 54	68,650 03
		$739,022 43	$69,208 96	$901,783 39

* This includes $139,984.29 transferred from the Emergency Fund.

IN BANKS AND IN OFFICE

Exchange Trust Company	$46,904 49
Federal Trust Company	5,611 79
Essex National Bank	3,368 90
Hub Trust Company	3,338 57

South Boston Trust Company	3,017 53
Prudential Trust Company	3,024 93
Commercial Trust Company	3,021 29
Old South Trust Company	212 53
In Office	150 00
	$68,650 03

JOS. J. FORRESTER,
ANNIE F. SULLIVAN,
THOS. F. KELLEY,
Finance Committee.

GENERAL FUND

Balance December 31, 1918 ..... $27,403 34

Receipts

Bonds	$379 20	
High Medical Fees	1,086 00	
Interest	819 51	
Per Capita Tax	34,049 00	
Supplies, Books, Regalia, etc	1,247 01	
M. C. O. F. Herald	4,224 90	
Total Receipts		$41,805 62
Total Receipts with Balance		$69,208 96

Expenditures

Annual Session of the High Court	$2,796 80	
Class Initiations	2,520 84	
Expenses of Deputies	1,290 88	
M. C. O. F. Herald	5,330 00	
Miscellaneous	12,519 45	
New Courts	125 49	
Public Meetings	130 45	
Printing and Binding	2,190 76	
Salaries	8,777 80	
Stationery and Postage	1,221 06	
Supplies	559 99	
		37,463 52
		$31,745 44
Transferred to Emergency Fund		10,000 00
Balance on hand December 31, 1919		$21,745 44

Expenses as follows:

ANNUAL SESSION OF THE HIGH COURT

Convention Hall	$75 00
Boston Regalia Company, badges	73 50
Dinners and Suppers, Representatives	1,198 50
Doorkeepers	10 00
Finance Committee	30 00
Harrigan Press	949 00
High Standing Committee	378 30
Holy Trinity Degree Staff	8 00
Schell, John M., printing	15 00
Stenographer	25 00
Washington Press	34 50
	$2,796 80

CLASS INITIATIONS

Springfield	$1,159 16
Lynn	227 64
Salem	225 00
South Boston	221 00
East Boston	210 00
Newburyport	108 40
Pittsfield	75 00
Dorchester	60 50
Brockton	43 00
Norwood	37 50
New Bedford	35 00
Watertown	26 00
Plymouth	20 00
Taunton	20 00
West Newton	18 00
Ware	15 00
Malden	10 00
Hyde Park	9 64
	$2,520 84

TRAVELING AND OTHER EXPENSES OF DEPUTIES

Florence M. Abbott, $3.00; Robert J. Black, $17.00; Maurice Browne, $5.00; Margaret E. Clark, $14.75; Theresa A. Connolly, $12.30; Bridget Donoghue, $14.75; Josephine L. Driscoll, $8.62; Kathryn Fitzgerald, $10.88; Daniel A. Foley, $2.40; Arthur S. Griffin, $1.00; Thomas W. Kennedy, $2.92; Adolph Kohler, $2.80; Bessie McCugh, $18.00; Mary A. McGovern, $3.66; R. D. McNell, $4.58; John J. Murphy, $13.05; D. J. O'Connell, $10.00; Elizabeth M. Parker, $13.71; Jennie Plunkett, $6.00; James Ryan, $3.00; Juliette M. Sheehan, $13.18; John J. Sweeney, $36.21; Walter T. Bestings, $3.22; John T. Brady, $8.99; Mary A. Burke, $13.80; Patrick F. Collins, $6.44; John S. Conaty, $35.00; Katherine M. Donovan, $3.02; Anna C. Dufficy, $21.65; Joseph J. Flynn, $15.00; Katherine Galvin, $7.00; Katherine Griffin, $14.75; Peter J. Kievan, $3.65; Margert E. Leahy, $2.00; Robert J. McCartney, $25.00; R. A. McGougan, $2.56; Susan McParlin, $3.65; Mary C. Nash, $3.50; Mary J. O'Callaghan, $19.12; James E. Phelan, $4.88; Mary E. Rice, $15.45; Charles L. Reade, $20.00; John J. Spillane, $5.00; Catherine Van Etten, $4.45; James H. Benson, $6.50; Joseph H. Bonner, $4.46; J. E. Canty, $10.00; Walter H. Conlin, $10.00; John J. Cummings, $4.50; Michael P. Dorgan, $3.00; Mary Dugan, $19.50; Richard E. Flynn, $8.00; Lewis Gillis, $3.20; William P. Hayes, $10.63; Mary A. Kiley, $6.00; Carrie H. Long, $4.88; Timothy J. McCarthy, $32.00; Mary McNulty, $10.88; Joseph G. Mees, $6.24; Thomas Neville, $10.00; John B. O'Hare, $10.00; Katherine A. Porter, $9.26; David F. Roche, $16.50; Sarah E. Rye, $2.50; Bridget Sweeney, $13.50; McKeon & Casby, $297.50; John W. Berlo, $39.08; Bridie M. Burke, $14.98; John D. Cardinal, $23.84; Katherine Connors, $12.94; Margaret L. Delaney, $3.98; Ellen F. Driscoll, $11.20; Catherine L. Feeney, $2.00; Catherine J. Foley, $4.80; Catherine C. Grady, $24.88; R. S. Heaphy, $3.00; Annie M. C. King, $11.64; Margaret McCann, $5.00; Maria E. McElroy, $14.35; Annie McKing, $9.00; Charles F. Morrison, $6.32; A. F. R. Novelline, $6.30; John H. O'Hara, $8.82; Ellen L. Powers, $8.80; Charles W. Ryan, $12.68; Leo Scroth, $8.00; Ellen A. Touhill, $1.14; Hibernian Building Association, $35.00. Total $1,290 88

MISCELLANEOUS

Bachmann, Henry	$1 50
Bank and Office Equipment	37 00
Bonning, Charles E., insurance	72 60
Boston Badge Company	33 95
Boston Office Furniture Erchange	36 00
Carfares for the year	30 71
City and Town Clerks, for birth and marriage certificates	170 02
Cleaning (office)	104 00
Committee on Constitution	23 50
Cronin, Sarah F.	50 00
Diebold Safe & Lock Company, safe	246 00
Donahue, P. L., insurance	10 00
Degree Staffs	1,157 46
Dorrety, William C.	235 35
English, Mary E.	189 00
Exchange Trust Company, collection on check	10
Expressage for year	35 32
Federal Towel & Apron Supply Company	22 75
Federal Trust Company, safe deposit box	5 00
Finance Committee	375 00
Flynn, Elizabeth	42 00
Fraternal Monitor	21 40
Fudge, William H., police duty	25 00
Hanley, Francis J., M. D., high medical fees	1,507 75
Harris, J. C. C., engrossing charters	7 50
Killian, Ruth	80 00
Knights of St. Rose Corporation, rent	1,125 00
Monroe Calculating Machine Co., use of machine	3 00
New England Telephone and Telegraph Co.	206 38
Noonan, M. E.	18 00
Past Chief Rangers' Association of Greater Boston	100 00

Per Capita Tax returned:	
Fulton Court, No. 12	75
Hamilton Court, No. 17	1 50
Americus Court, No. 34	75
John Henry Newman Court, No. 83	75
Germania Court, No. 93	75
Columbia Court, No. 95	1 50
St. Othilia Court, No. 118	75
St. Josephine Court, No. 138	75
Lepanto Court, No. 142	75
Perpetual Help Court, No. 151	75
Marquette Court, No. 156	75
St. Stanislaus Kostka Court, No. 185	75
St. Gerard Court, No. 234	75
Sacred Heart Court, No. 240	75
Edward Everett Court, No. 255	2 25
Presentation Court, No. 258	75
Purdy, J. E. & Co.	37 00
Security Safe Deposit & Trust Co., safe deposit box	50 00
Seix, Marion F., special work	292 50
Sheehan, Joseph A., corporation counsel	1,204 75
Special Work, Insurance Commissioner's Report	545 00
Sweeney, Helen A.	9 00
The American Journal of Public Health	5 00
The Edison Electric Illuminating Company	99 65
The Pilot Publishing Company	2 00
The Rosary Floral Company	35 00
Traveling and other expenses of High Standing Committee	3,554 75
Trustees' Expenses	11 15
Underwood Typewriter Co., machine	102 50
United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co.	126 85
Walsh, James, newspaper work	50 00
Winn, Charles H., M.D., high medical fees	125 25
Wirth, George, painting	282 76
	$12,519 45

NEW COURTS

Catherine T. Leonard Court, No. 262	$94 25
Our Lady of Peace Court, No. 263	31 24
	$125 49

PRINTING

Angel Guardian Press	$15 00
Commercial Press	111 70
Framingham Printing Company	341 06
The Harrigan Press	1,330 25
Walsh, John F.	13 75
Washington Press	379 00
	$2,190 76

PUBLIC MEETINGS

Fall River	$91 95
Pittsfield	38 50
	$130 45

SALARIES

High Secretary-Treasurer	$3,600 00
Clerks	5,177 80
	$8,777 80

STATIONERY AND POSTAGE

A. Storrs & Bement Co.	$21 39
Boston Post Office	823 27
Buckley, Neil	341 92
Elliot Addressing Machine Company	13 73
Neostyle Company	13 45
Royal Typewriter Company	2 10
The Adder Machine Company	5 20
	$1,221 06

SUPPLIES

Boston Badge Company	$156 53
Boston Regalia Company	73 65
Buckley, Neil	177 00
Commercial Press	30 75
Dorrety, W. C.	122 06
	$559 99

REPORT OF TRUSTEES

January 1, 1920

Balance in Emergency Fund Dec. 31, 1918		$1,092,179 17
RECEIPTS		
Emergency Fund Assessments	$93,552 00	
Transferred from General Fund	10,000 00	
Income from investments:		
Interest on Bonds	$31,427 89	
Mortgages	12,901 12	
Daily balances	257 52	
	$44,586 53	
Add profit on bonds sold	354 99	
	$44,941 52	
Less:		
Accrued interest paid on bonds purchased $762 07		
Taxes and insurance on estate 74 Medford St. Chsn. 152 86		
Loss on on bonds sold 703 05		
	1,617 98	
Net income from investments	43,323 54	
Net receipts		146,875 54
		$1,239,054 71
Transferred to Mortuary Fund		132,984 29
Balance in Emergency Fund Dec. 31, 1919		$1,106,070 42

INVESTMENTS

Municipal, State and Government Bonds (cost price)	$847,091 37
First Mortgage Loans	247,632 50
Old Colony Trust Co. (on deposit)	10,543 03
Union Institution for Savings (on deposit)	803 52
	$1,106,070 42

JOSEPH J. FORRESTER,
ANNIE F. SULLIVAN,
THOMAS F. KELLEY,
Finance Committee

P. F. BURKE,
JOHN J. LYNCH,
GEO. WIRTH,
Trustees.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF TRUSTEES

January 1, 1920

Balance uninvested Dec. 31, 1918		$1,261 97
Receipts		
Interest on bonds	$31,427 89	
Interest on mortgages	12,901 12	
Interest on daily balances	257 52	
Emergency Fund Assessments	93,552 00	
Paid on mortgages	13,690 00	
From sale of bonds	78,024 77	
Transferred from General Fund	10,000 00	
Total receipts		239,853 30
Total receipts		$241,115 27

DISBURSEMENTS

City of New Bedford Bonds, 3½s, cost price	$1,950 20
City of Boston Bonds, 4s, cost price	2,980 20
City of Lawrence Bonds, 4s, cost price	976 70
City of Malden Bonds, 4s, cost price	1,964 00
City of Newton Bonds, 4s, cost price	979 00
City of Peabody Bonds, 4s, cost price	963 10
City of Peabody Bonds, 4s, cost price	959 50
City of Peabody Bonds, 4s, cost price	955 90
Commonwealth of Massachusetts Bonds, 3½s, cost price	1,926 20
United States Government Bonds, 4¼s, cost price	10,000 00

United States Government Bonds, 4⅞s, cost price	998 80
City of Melrose Bonds, 4s, cost price	2,897 70
City of Quincy, 3½s, cost price	3,742 80
United States Government Bonds, 4½s, cost price	9,495 00
City of New Bedford, 3½s, cost price	5,507 40
United States Government Bonds, 4½s, cost price	22,548 00
United States Government Bonds, 4½s, cost price	9,425 00
First Mortgage Loans	17,600 00
Accrued interest paid on bonds purchased	762 07
Insurance and taxes 74 Medford Street, Charlestown	152 86
Transferred to Mortuary Fund	132,984 29
Balance uninvested	11,346 55
	$241,115 27

GOVERNMENT, STATE AND MUNICIPAL BONDS

	Cost Price	Par Value
Beverly, 3½s, Nos. 41 and 42	$1,934 60	$2,000
Beverly, 4s, No. 94	991 80	1,000
Beverly, 4s, Nos. 98 and 99	2,014 60	2,000
Boston, 4s, No. 07730	7,000 00	7,000
Boston, 3½s, No. 24654	5,317 50	6,000
Boston, 3½s, No. 24713	4,443 75	5,000
Boston, 3½s, No. 25572	9,298 00	10,000
Boston, 4s, No. 25639	1,000 00	1,000
Boston, 3½s, No. 25677	9,363 00	10,000
Boston, 3½s, No. 25805	1,902 50	2,000
Boston, 4s, No. 26167	1,964 40	2,000
Boston, 3½s, No. 26183	20,384 90	23,000
Boston, 3½s, No. 26676	909 60	1,000
Boston, 3½s, No. 27092	896 25	1,000
Boston, 3½s, No. 27118	7,300 00	8,000
Boston, 4s, No. 27127	29,718 75	30,000
Boston, 3½s, No. 27231	3,680 00	4,000
Boston, 3½s, No. 27261	3,582 32	4,000
Boston, 3½s, No. 29515	916 10	1,000
Boston, 3½s, No. 27446	3,690 00	4,000
Boston, 4s, No. 27545	993 00	1,000
Boston, 3½s, No. 27546	923 90	1,000
Boston, 4s, No. 27547	992 80	1,000
Boston, 3½s, No. 27659	940 00	1,000
Boston, 4s, No. 28118	1,002 40	1,000
Boston, 3½s, No. 28138	9,458 00	10,000
Boston, 3½s, No. 28266	946 40	1,000
Boston, 4s, No. 29067	982 20	1,000
Boston, 3½s, No. 29275	885 00	1,000
Boston, 4s, No. 29440	968 20	1,000
Boston, 4s, No. 29467	4,364 50	5,000
Boston, 4s, No. 30818	2,980 20	3,000
Brockton, 4s, No. B1710	2,000 00	2,000
Brockton, 3½s, No. B2115	2,756 30	3,000
Brockton, 4s, No. B2116	3,986 00	4,000
Brockton, 3½s, No. B2117	2,842 20	3,000
Brockton, 3½s, No. B2118	942 70	1,000
Brockton, 4s, No. B2225	1,006 40	1,000
Brockton, 3½s, No. B3177	4,543 75	5,000
Cambridge, 3½s, No. 1899	903 75	1,000
Cambridge, 3½s, No. 1961	3,665 00	4,000
Cambridge, 3½s, No. 1974	916 90	1,000
Cambridge, 4s, No. 2015	2,015 00	2,000
Cambridge, 3½s, No. 2016	24,000 00	25,000
Cambridge, 3½s, No. 2017	4,537 50	5,000
Cambridge, 3½s, No. 2075	8,861 40	9,000
Chelsea, 4s, No. 41	5,037 50	5,000
Chelsea, 4s, No. 42	1,007 40	1,000
Chicopee, 4s, No. 277	1,004 50	1,000
Everett, 4s, No. 97	2,985 00	3,000
Everett, 4s, No. 110	1,975 00	2,000
Everett, 4s, No. 121	1,005 90	1,000
Everett, 4s, No. 124	1,989 20	2,000
Fall River, 4s, No. 26	1,006 50	1,000
Fall River, 3½s, No. 481	23,343 75	25,000
Fall River, 3½s, No. 506	9,075 00	10,000
Fall River, 4s, No. 540	3,000 00	3,000
Fall River, 3½s, No. 692	23,957 50	25,000
Fall River, 4s, No. 694	10,039 00	10,000
Fall River, 3½s, No. 1870	3,805 00	4,000
Fall River, 3½s, No. 1963	1,870 00	2,000
Fall River, 3½s, No. 2020	4,562 50	5,000
Fall River, 3½s, No. 2418	5,617 50	6,000
Fall River, 3½, No. 2419	13,107 50	14,000
Fall River, 3½s, No. 2421	14,050 50	15,000
Fitchburg, 4s, No. 28	5,970 00	6,000
Fitchburg, 4s, 1922	19,975 00	20,000
Gloucester, 4s, 1921, 1922, 1924, 1925, 1926	5,000 00	5,000
Haverhill, 4s, 1922	1,003 75	1,000
Haverhill, 4s, 1922	10,000 00	10,000
Haverhill, 4s, 1922	2,992 50	3,000
Haverhill, 4s, 1922	2,011 40	2,000
Haverhill, 4s, 1922	1,990 00	2,000
Holyoke, 4s, 1927	995 30	1,000
Holyoke, 3½s, 1925	2,750 40	3,000
Lawrence, 4s, 1923	990 00	1,000
Lawrence, 4s, 1923	2,005 00	2,000
Lawrence, 4s, 1923	5,015 00	5,000
Lawrence, 4s, 1924	2,018 40	2,000
Lawrence, 4s, 1924	976 70	1,000
Lowell, 4s, 1921	3,896 00	4,000
Lowell, 4s, 1920	1,003 60	1,000
Lowell, 4s, 1920	10,055 00	10,000
Lynn, 3½s, 1932	7,440 00	8,000
Lynn, 3½s, 1932	4,681 25	5,000
Lynn, 3½s, 1932	7,520 00	8,000
Lynn, 3½s, 1932	1,862 50	2,000
Lynn, 4s, 1920	5,000 00	5,000
Lynn, 3½s, 1932	8,302 50	9,000
Lynn, 4s, 1927	1,009 00	1,000
Lynn, 4s, 1923	2,012 20	2,000
Malden, 4s, 1924	3,030 00	3,000
Malden, 4s, 1924	4,040 00	4,000
Malden, 4s, 1926	3,982 40	4,000
Malden, 4s, 1923	1,964 00	2,000
Massachusetts, 3½s, 1945	4,406 25	5,000
Massachusetts, 3½s, 1834	951 40	1,000
Massachusetts, 3½s, 1933	3,775 00	4,000
Massachusetts, 3½s, 1936	2,782 50	3,000
Massachusetts, 3½s, 1942	7,430 00	8,000
Massachusetts, 3½s, 1944	1,767 50	2,000
Massachusetts, 3½s, 1923	1,926 20	2,000
Medford, 4s, 1923	2,907 90	3,000
Melrose, 4s, 1926	3,870 00	4,000
Melrose, 4s, 1926	2,897 70	3,000
New Bedford, 3½s, 1922	1,950 20	2,000
New Bedford, 3½s, 1929	5,507 40	6,000
New Bedford, 3½s, 1928	906 50	1,000
New Bedford, 3½s, 1928	1,830 00	2,000
New Bedford, 3½s, 1928	915 00	1,000
New Bedford, 3½s, 1928	4,844 00	5,000
New Bedford, 4s, 1925	3,960 00	4,000
New Bedford, 3½s, 1922	1,915 00	2,000
New Bedford, 3½s, 1923	1,921 20	2,000
New Bedford, 3½s, 1920	6,746 25	7,000
New Bedford, 3½s, 1922	952 50	1,000
New Bedford, 4s, 1922	5,000 00	5,000
New Bedford, 3½s, 1923	3,735 00	4,000
New Bedford, 4s, 1927	3,018 75	3,000
New Bedford, 4s, 1933	4,615 00	5,000
New Bedford, 4s, 1925	11,550 00	12,000
New Bedford, 3½s, 1930	899 90	1,000
Newburyport, 3½s, 1923	951 50	1,000
Newburyport, 3½s, 1925	4,807 00	5,000
Newburyport, 3½s, 1930	7,649 60	8,000
Newburyport, 3½s, 1931	2,867 10	3,000
Newton, 3½s, 1926	975 00	1,000
Newton, 4s, 1935	2,000 00	2,000
Newton, 4s, 1939	6,000 00	6,000
Newton, 4s, 1937	2,037 50	2,000
Newton, 4s, 1928	2,000 00	2,000
Newton, 4s, 1937	1,006 90	1,000
Newton, 4s, 1937	3,975 00	4,000
Newton, 4s, 1920	998 75	1,000
Newton, 4s, 1924	979 00	1,000
Peabody, 4s, 1926 to 1929	10,066 51	10,000
Peabody, 4s, 1927, 1928, 1929	2,878 50	3,000
Quincy, 3½s, 1924, 1925, 1926	2,791 80	3,000
Quincy, 3½s, 1926	915 20	1,000
Quincy, 3½s, 1920, 1921, 1922	7,281 45	7,500
Quincy, 3½s, 1930	963 75	1,000
Quincy, 4s, 1922	1,005 30	1,000
Quincy, 3½s, 1923	956 50	1,000
Quincy, 3½s, 1926 to 1928	3,742 80	4,000
Salem, 4s, 1925, 1928, 1929	5,763 60	6,000
Salem, 4½s, 1926, 1927	7,369 44	7,000
Salem, 4½s, 1924 and 1926	5,232 00	5,000
Salem, 3½s, 1924	958 10	1,000

	Cost Price	Par Value
Salem, 3½s, 1934	2,835 00	3,000
Springfield, 3s, 1930	896 25	1,000
Springfield, 3½s, 1925	4,755 50	5,000
Taunton, 4s, 1922	996 25	1,000
Taunton, 3½s, 1935	5,068 75	5,000
Taunton, 4s, 1930	4,853 00	5,000
Taunton, 3½s, 1930	2,730 00	3,000
Taunton, 3½s, 1932	2,859 00	3,000
Taunton, 3½s, 1930	1,840 00	2,000
Taunton, 3½s, 1930	911 60	1,000
Taunton, 3½s, 1932	36,661 13	39,000
Taunton, 3½s, 1932	959 40	1,000
U. S. Government, 4s, 1942	25,000 00	25,000
U. S. Government, 4¼s, 1928	29,000 00	29,000
U. S. Government, 4¼s	10,000 00	10,000
U. S. Government, 4s	1,000 00	1,000
U. S. Government, 4⅜s, 1923	10,000 00	10,000
U. S. Government, 4⅜s, 1923	998 80	1,000
U. S. Government, 4¼s, 1928	41,468 00	44,000
Waltham, 4s, 1922	3,000 00	3,000
Waltham, 3½s, 1922	1,955 00	2,000
Winchester, 3½s, 1924, 1925 1926	9,279 52	10,000
Worcester, 3½s, 1932	3,650 00	4,000
Worcester, 3½s, 1932	4,568 00	5,000
Total	$847,091 37	$882,500

TOTAL RECEIPTS OF THE ORDER

Amounts Received by the High Secretary-Treasurer From Subordinate Courts for the Year Ending December 31, 1919

No. of Court	Received for Emergency Fund in 1919	Received for Mortuary Fund in 1919	Received for General Fund in 1919	Per Capita for High Court Rec'd in 1919	Received for Fees in 1919	Total in 1919
1	$374.00	$2,436.10	$23.51	$139.50	$2.25	$2,975.36
3	510.00	3,125.70	38.04	186.00	5.50	3,865.24
4	802.00	5,009.00	9.25	294.75	.....	6,115.00
5	1,050.00	6,421.60	73.64	372.00	14.50	7,931.74
6	936.00	5,910.55	26.90	332.25	13.00	7,218.70
7	404.00	2,201.00	27.98	112.50	16.00	2,761.48
8	850.00	5,533.40	64.14	311.25	5.75	6,764.54
9	220.00	1,485.50	13.75	81.75	.....	1,801.00
10	1,049.00	6,819.95	78.11	390.75	.....	8,337.81
11	390.00	2,541.10	4.45	146.25	.....	3,081.80
12	120.00	739.85	8.82	45.75	.....	914.42
13	154.00	965.40	14.30	54.00	2.50	1,190.20
14	416.00	2,657.40	34.52	150.75	2.75	3,261.42
15	743.00	4,478.70	53.62	252.75	15.25	5,543.32
16	1,292.00	8,151.60	94.70	448.50	7.00	9,993.80
17	496.00	3,279.80	55.97	184.50	3.50	4,019.77
18	921.00	5,837.40	46.90	333.00	.....	7,138.30
19	816.00	4,911.55	13.85	282.75	15.75	6,039.90
20	443.00	2,894.50	34.34	163.50	1.25	3,536.59
21	483.00	3,080.75	32.55	175.50	4.00	3,775.80
23	723.00	4,058.60	.....	264.75	6.75	5,053.10
24	574.00	3,553.70	45.62	210.75	5.00	4,389.07
25	470.00	3,303.80	45.32	171.75	.....	3,990.87
26	600.00	3,568.00	23.78	208.50	14.75	4,415.03
28	450.00	2,989.50	30.19	168.00	1.00	3,638.69
29	772.00	4,828.75	51.64	283.50	5.50	5,941.39
30	353.00	2,220.20	12.44	129.00	2.25	2,716.89
32	615.00	4,236.50	55.47	227.25	2.75	5,136.97
33	570.00	3,773.40	42.60	212.25	1.75	4,600.00
34	519.00	3,244.00	37.13	191.25	2.50	3,993.88
37	86.00	534.00	4.46	32.25	.....	656.71
38	201.00	1,349.80	16.03	74.25	.50	1,641.58
39	621.00	4,033.30	26.79	225.00	9.75	4,915.84
43	335.00	2,207.80	22.18	123.75	1.25	2,689.98
44	562.00	3,336.20	43.25	198.00	21.00	4,160.45
45	186.00	1,201.80	13.04	69.00	.75	1,470.59
46	1,142.00	6,811.10	7.25	387.00	24.50	8,371.85
47	324.00	2,046.90	22.27	120.00	1.00	2,514.17
48	605.00	3,690.70	46.72	211.50	7.50	4,561.42
49	293.00	1,881.10	15.50	107.25	2.50	2,299.35
51	589.00	3,550.50	9.46	215.25	5.00	4,369.21
52	401.00	2,735.80	19.43	143.25	6.25	3,305.73
53	635.00	4,183.05	40.64	232.50	6.00	5,097.19
54	248.00	1,629.10	.....	94.50	.....	1,971.60
55	481.00	3,068.30	32.30	175.50	4.00	3,761.10
57	576.00	3,972.20	2.00	214.50	2.50	4,767.20
58	269.00	1,801.35	17.13	97.50	.75	2,185.73
59	986.00	6,358.70	59.46	363.00	6.00	7,773.16
60	1,302.00	8,898.20	26.00	486.00	.....	10,712.20
61	905.00	5,759.10	57.02	324.00	9.75	7,054.87
62	1,032.00	6,678.00	22.67	380.25	18.25	8,131,17
63	633.00	4,114.05	30.16	236.25	1.25	5,014.71
64	382.00	2,436.20	37.84	139.50	7.75	3,003.29
65	989.00	6,435.50	3.25	365.25	2.00	7,795.00
66	663.00	4,207.00	34.07	246.75	3.25	5,154.07
67	451.00	2,743.60	35.58	162.00	3.75	3,395.93
68	308.00	1,938.50	10.67	113.25	2.75	2,373.17
69	801.00	4,715.70	60.98	290.25	14.00	5,881.93
70	352.00	2,099.45	36.95	120.75	5.50	2,614.65
71	785.00	4,653.80	47.76	290.25	5.25	5,782.06
72	1,221.00	7,927.40	86.78	453.00	5.50	9,693.68
73	677.00	4,084.15	46.67	239.25	18.75	5,065.82
74	220.00	1,406.40	15.23	82.50	.25	1,724.38
75	299.00	1,980.30	11.00	111.75	.50	2,402.55
76	264.00	1,715.90	34.51	100.50	1.25	2,116.16
77	706.00	4,714.00	37.75	262.50	.....	5,720.25
78	150.00	905.30	6.50	56.25	.....	1,118.05
79	265.00	1,785.00	9.20	104.75	1.00	2,164.95
80	183.00	1,104.80	16.36	62.25	2.25	1,368.66
81	371.00	2,562.10	29.07	136.50	3.25	3,101.92
82	432.00	2,694.40	19.17	160.50	4.00	3,310.07
83	522.00	3,166.85	57.48	188.25	9.00	3,943.58
84	315.00	1,962.90	23.42	114.75	.....	2,416.07
85	1,127.00	6,885.70	16.00	403.50	16.50	8,448.70
86	254.00	1,545.00	9.71	93.75	.....	1,902.46
87	282.00	1,788.30	26.55	105.75	1.50	2,204.10
88	58.00	431.60	3.39	21.75	.....	514.74
89	248.00	1,611.40	13.47	93.00	.....	1,965.87
90	133.00	910.70	12.01	49.50	.....	1,105.21
91	141.00	827.00	6.23	54.25	.....	1,028.48
92	239.00	1,452.30	16.69	84.75	2.75	1,795.49
93	312.00	1,962.10	9.28	115.50	1.75	2,400.63
95	604.00	3,939.50	51.44	222.00	3.25	4,820.19
96	227.00	1,498.95	22.55	84.00	.25	1,832.75
97	430.00	2,653.70	30.63	159.75	.50	3,274.58
98	128.00	809.10	9.05	48.75	6.00	1,000.90
99	249.00	1,527.40	10.45	90.75	2.25	1,879.85
100	840.00	5,579.80	52.58	312.75	2.75	6,787.88
101	19.00	126.80	.....	7.50	.....	153.30
102	680.00	4,440.55	49.10	250.50	4.50	5,424.65
103	578.00	3,749.10	46.76	205.50	11.75	4,591.11
104	537.00	3,094.50	51.22	187.50	.....	3,870.22
105	410.00	2,666.10	16.93	146.25	4.25	3,243.53
106	726.00	4,647.00	9.85	267.00	5.75	5,655.60
107	576.00	3,660.50	25.41	204.75	7.00	4,473.66
108	634.00	4,123.10	31.52	229.50	9.25	5,027.37
109	646.00	4,336.70	50.58	228.75	11.25	5,273.28
110	203.00	1,265.10	24.88	72.00	12.50	1,577.48
111	1,526.00	9,273.70	108.99	567.75	42.00	11,518.44
112	719.00	4,777.70	48.41	272.25	1.75	5,819.11
113	286.00	1,818.40	20.44	105.75	2.00	2,232.59
114	1,300.00	7,484.40	82.86	440.25	58.50	9,366.01
115	178.00	1,175.70	12.15	63.75	1.50	1,431.10
116	824.00	5,180.40	44.21	303.00	13.25	6,364.86
117	56.00	402.45	2.34	21.00	.....	481.79
118	242.00	1,521.80	17.11	88.50	3.25	1,872.66
119	256.00	1,609.80	7.35	93.00	1.75	1,967.90
120	345.00	2,164.50	13.09	123.00	4.75	2,650.34
121	175.00	1,131.00	9.77	65.25	.50	1,381.52
122	420.00	2,902.20	34.32	156.00	1.75	3,514.27
123	121.00	785.60	15.92	44.25	2.25	969.02
124	636.00	4,378.40	40.90	236.25	2.50	5,294.05

TOTAL RECEIPTS OF THE ORDER—Continued

No. of Court	Received for Emergency Fund in 1919	Received for Mortuary Fund in 1919	Received for General Fund in 1919	Per Capita for High Court Rec'd in 1919	Received for Fees in 1919	Total in 1919
125	208.00	1,358.30	11.79	73.50	3.50	1,655.09
126	752.00	4,957.70	64.71	283.50	.50	6,058.41
127	240.00	1,465.60	20.04	87.00	1.25	1,813.89
128	357.00	2,329.30	20.17	130.50	2.25	2,839.22
129	513.00	3,260.10	24.44	186.75	2.75	3,987.04
130	328.00	2,207.60	23.49	119.25	2.75	2,681.09
131	126.00	827.10	10.20	47.25	.....	1,010.55
132	225.00	1,237.80	20.52	70.50	8.50	1,562.32
133	106.00	710.20	7.99	39.75	.25	864.19
134	404.00	2,720.50	18.21	152.25	1.00	3,295.96
135	811.00	5,033.45	37.37	288.75	9.75	6,180.32
136	928.00	6,723.70	40.49	330.75	15.25	8,038.19
137	194.00	1,263.20	13.77	70.50	1.50	1,542.97
138	537.00	3,515.95	18.71	198.75	6.00	4,276.41
139	341.00	2,216.60	35.19	124.50	6.50	2,723.79
140	246.00	1,588.10	23.42	91.50	1.25	1,950.27
141	617.00	3,995.60	41.15	225.75	6.75	4,886.25
142	730.00	4,617.40	17.88	270.75	4.00	5,640.03
143	444.00	2,706.65	32.42	156.00	7.75	3,346.82
144	345.00	2,267.30	10.79	126.75	1.50	2,751.34
145	218.00	1,472.74	9.50	81.75	2.50	1,784.49
146	105.00	718.80	8.24	39.75	.....	871.79
147	550.00	3,386.45	37.35	198.75	11.75	4,184.30
148	519.00	3,386.40	41.00	193.50	.....	4,139.90
149	281.00	1,520.50	16.40	99.75	15.25	1,932.90
150	359.00	2,421.90	23.33	132.75	.75	2,937.73
151	582.00	3,802.70	32.01	210.00	4.25	4,630.96
152	64.00	428.10	6.10	23.25	.....	521.45
153	167.00	1,160.35	5.71	62.25	.75	1,396.06
154	60.00	434.40	8.84	22.50	.....	525.74
155	375.00	2,341.75	10.13	132.75	7.50	2,867.13
156	516.00	2,969.60	20.17	181.50	8.50	3,695.77
157	240.00	1,542.80	16.52	90.00	.....	1,889.32
158	314.00	2,132.90	23.14	116.25	1.50	2,587.79
159	223.00	1,537.70	17.38	84.00	.....	1,862.08
160	390.00	2,516.10	8.04	143.25	1.50	3,058.89
161	209.00	1,366.80	29.83	75.75	3.75	1,685.13
162	380.00	2,302.50	24.08	141.00	2.75	2,850.33
163	325.00	1,921.60	24.58	117.75	8.00	2,396.93
164	339.00	2,187.90	34.63	123.00	4.00	2,688.53
165	244.00	1,508.38	16.37	90.75	6.00	1,865.50
166	97.00	647.50	7.50	36.00	.25	788.25
167	88.00	630.20	.....	33.75	.75	752.70
168	124.00	954.10	6.19	45.75	.....	1,130.04
169	258.00	1,788.80	18.64	95.25	.25	2,160.94
170	208.00	1,334.20	11.48	78.00	.....	1,631.68
171	306.00	1,884.60	17.07	112.50	1.25	2,321.42
172	247.00	1,603.30	21.74	87.75	4.75	1,964.54
173	281.00	1,910.80	8.25	103.50	2.50	2,306.05
174	503.00	3,076.10	39.98	182.25	3.75	3,805.08
175	190.00	1,287.20	8.61	71.25	.....	1,557.06
178	290.00	1,862.05	10.56	107.25	3.25	2,273.11
179	616.00	3,804.30	31.09	222.75	6.50	4,680.64
180	640.00	3,946.40	33.20	234.75	4.75	4,859.10
181	349.00	2,053.50	19.46	128.25	4.50	2,554.71
182	150.00	946.30	20.33	54.00	3.50	1,174.13
183	156.00	1,036.80	7.93	58.50	.....	1,259.23
184	494.00	3,224.00	17.66	181.50	3.00	3,920.16
185	74.00	467.30	6.71	24.00	1.75	573.76
186	1,188.00	7,037.20	1.75	443.25	.....	8,670.20
187	368.00	2,358.10	19.09	134.25	7.25	2,886.69
188	180.00	1,069.60	7.31	66.00	.50	1,323.41
190	984.00	5,380.20	58.11	367.50	55.00	6,844.81
191	125.00	864.20	9.28	47.25	.....	1,045.73
192	365.00	2,332.55	17.79	134.25	1.00	2,850.59
193	223.00	1,477.90	15.84	81.00	.....	1,797.74
194	610.00	3,496.55	48.21	215.25	23.00	4,393.01
195	209.00	1,381.60	8.65	78.00	1.00	1,678.25
196	391.00	2,261.70	37.13	141.75	15.75	2,847.33
197	214.00	1,426.10	16.72	79.50	.75	1,737.07
198	310.00	2,061.30	26.33	112.50	2.25	2,512.38
199	102.00	644.20	9.59	38.25	.50	794.54
200	116.00	900.40	10.96	42.75	.25	1,070.36
201	240.00	1,555.20	8.75	90.00	1.25	1,895.20
202	198.00	1,306.20	20.43	72.50	.75	1,597.88
203	205.00	1,241.20	14.04	69.75	7.50	1,537.49
204	58.00	425.10	3.74	50.75	.....	537.59
205	130.00	819.50	11.47	46.50	2.00	1,009.47
206	265.00	1,693.00	7.00	96.75	2.50	2,064.25
208	234.00	1,391.05	16.72	80.25	.75	1,722.77
209	74.00	521.95	6.44	27.75	.....	630.14
210	79.00	455.50	14.05	27.00	.....	575.55
211	181.00	1,171.30	15.56	66.75	1.00	1,435.61
212	98.00	618.10	5.63	36.75	.25	758.73
214	204.00	1,350.60	10.19	74.25	4.00	1,643.04
215	157.00	951.60	17.82	57.75	1.50	1,185.67
216	211.00	1,342.50	13.62	78.75	1.25	1,647.12
217	111.00	781.70	8.54	41.25	.....	942.49
218	154.00	960.20	12.56	55.50	1.50	1,183.76
219	179.00	1,039.30	11.31	60.75	8.25	1,298.61
220	130.00	834.70	12.78	46.50	2.00	1,025.98
221	138.00	885.70	3.25	49.50	2.00	1,078.45
222	123.00	707.90	7.76	44.25	1.00	883.91
223	325.00	2,359.10	26.29	121.50	.75	2,832.64
224	111.00	641.30	15.44	42.75	.....	810.49
225	293.00	2,037.20	15.84	108.00	1.50	2,455.54
226	98.00	628.50	8.88	36.75	.50	772.63
227	128.00	759.90	7.18	47.25	5.25	947.58
228	133.00	879.20	5.88	48.75	.25	1,067.08
229	146.00	933.25	11.64	51.75	.50	1,143.14
230	203.00	1,226.40	3.00	75.00	2.00	1,509.40
231	215.00	1,420.90	26.51	78.00	2.00	1,742.41
232	100.00	706.80	8.06	37.50	.....	852.36
233	36.00	258.35	.....	12.75	.25	307.35
234	186.00	1,140.70	20.08	69.00	1.75	1,417.53
235	345.00	1,995.55	30.26	131.25	13.00	2,515.06
236	80.00	501.60	1.25	27.75	.75	611.35
237	208.00	1,370.00	15.61	79.50	.....	1,673.11
238	372.00	2,164.20	10.27	140.25	10.50	2,697.22
239	163.00	1,076.50	11.39	59.25	1.00	1,311.14
240	144.00	924.60	6.08	54.00	1.00	1,129.68
241	107.00	700.70	8.33	36.00	2.00	854.03
243	84.00	535.50	6.74	31.50	1.50	659.24
244	77.00	418.20	5.08	27.00	2.25	529.53
245	44.00	310.50	.....	16.50	.....	371.00
246	55.00	343.30	2.72	21.00	1.50	423.52
247	116.00	779.60	11.85	44.25	.....	951.70
248	87.00	527.80	8.34	31.50	2.50	657.14
249	436.00	2,306.90	36.43	160.50	26.50	2,966.33
250	271.00	1,725.10	15.50	99.75	2.25	2,113.60
251	414.00	2,431.80	40.87	142.50	.25	3,029.42
252	131.00	888.50	27.25	48.00	1.25	1,096.00
253	189.00	1,271.45	12.24	68.25	1.25	1,542.19
254	114.00	667.70	17.19	42.75	.....	841.64
255	209.00	1,225.90	11.32	72.00	5.50	1,523.72
256	111.00	684.00	4.25	36.00	.....	835.25
257	276.00	1,681.90	13.85	97.50	3.50	2,072.75
258	178.00	1,156.60	2.61	65.25	.....	1,402.46
259	306.00	1,811.40	29.53	108.75	6.00	2,261.68
261	111.00	605.20	35.41	33.00	6.25	790.86
262	77.00	247.50	45.00	27.00	10.00	406.50
263	62.00	186.70	23.35	17.25	11.00	300.30
264	26.00	26.40	26.00	.....	5.25	83.65
	$93,552.00	$592,288.82	$5,650.11	$34,049.00	$1,086.00	$726,625.93
Other sources		7.40	201.00			208.40
Interest		657.95	819.51			1,477.46
	$93,552.00	$592,954.17	$6,670.62	$34,049.00	$1,086.00	$728,311.79

No. of Court.	Name of Court.	Membership Dec. 31, 1918.	Gain in 1919.			Total.	Losses in 1919.					Membership Dec. 31, 1919.	Average Age.
			Initiated.	Admitted on W. C.	Reinstated.		Deaths.	Suspensions.	Resigned.	Withdrawals.	Total Losses.		
1	Cathedral	185	6	3	...	194	7	....	...	1	8	186	50.7
3	Fenwick	225	27	6	1	259	1	5	...	....	6	253	45.5
4	St. Francis	375	35	2	...	412	6	2	...	1	9	403	42.3
5	Leo	478	59	2	2	541	10	10	...	2	22	519	43.4
6	Cheverus	442	42	4	...	488	9	9	...	10	28	460	43.3
7	St. Patrick	150	61	....	1	212	....	5	...	1	6	206	38.9
8	Sherwood	414	26	....	5	445	4	7	...	....	11	434	48.1
9	Columbus	113	.....	1	...	114	3	2	...	....	5	109	49.3
10	Iona	518	18	2	...	538	11	10	...	2	23	515	43.3
11	St. Joseph	195	1	....	...	196	5	....	...	....	5	191	48.1
12	Fulton	59	2	....	...	61	1	....	...	....	1	60	42.2
13	Fitzpatrick	72	10	....	...	82	1	....	...	....	1	81	47.
14	Lafayette	197	11	....	...	208	3	....	...	1	4	204	47.7
15	SS. Peter and Paul	332	49	1	...	382	6	2	...	2	10	372	42.2
16	Essex	606	118	1	35	760	6	32	...	5	43	717	42.5
17	Hamilton	247	11	....	...	258	3	8	...	3	14	244	47.1
18	St. Peter	450	24	2	...	476	13	8	...	....	21	455	43.1
19	Williams	356	65	....	2	423	9	11	...	2	22	401	42.3
20	Mt. Pleasant	221	5	1	...	227	7	1	...	1	9	218	49.6
21	St. Alphonsus	228	15	....	6	249	1	8	...	....	9	240	48.3
23	St. John	330	27	3	...	360	5	....	1	1	7	353	43.2
24	St. Gregory	269	20	1	2	292	7	2	...	2	11	281	43.2
25	St. Francis	226	10	3	...	239	5	....	...	1	6	233	48.2
26	St. Raphael	257	48	....	...	305	1	3	1	1	6	299	40.1
28	Erin	224	2	1	...	227	3	1	...	2	6	221	48.1
29	St. Thomas	370	22	1	...	393	7	3	...	2	12	381	49.2
30	Bass River	168	15	3	...	186	....	3	...	....	3	183	43.1
32	Qualey	297	9	5	...	311	6	1	...	4	11	300	50.2
33	St. John	275	10	....	...	285	1	....	...	....	1	284	46.1
34	Americus	250	12	3	...	265	5	1	...	2	8	257	43.9
37	Friendship	43	.....	.....	...	43	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	43	49.2
38	St. Joseph	101	2	....	...	103	1	....	...	1	2	101	48.4
39	Benedict	275	33	....	...	308	5	3	...	1	9	299	44.1
43	St. Mary	162	6	2	...	170	2	....	...	....	2	168	48.1
44	St. Bernard	215	107	1	...	323	2	1	...	1	4	319	40.1
45	Unity	92	3	....	...	95	3	1	...	2	6	89	48.7
46	St. Augustine	508	95	....	...	603	9	9	...	1	19	584	39.4
47	St. Anne	155	5	....	...	160	....	1	...	....	1	159	47.1
48	Sarsfield	282	25	....	...	307	4	2	...	....	6	301	45.9
49	Constantine	143	5	....	...	148	2	2	1	....	5	143	44.1
51	Holy Trinity	284	18	....	...	302	5	....	...	....	5	297	45.1
52	Highland	192	13	....	...	205	2	4	...	....	6	199	41.1
53	Emerald	304	21	2	...	327	7	3	...	....	10	317	49.2
54	St. James	127	2	....	...	129	6	....	...	....	6	123	47.9
55	Charles River	222	21	1	2	253	5	2	...	1	8	245	48.1
57	Carroll	282	31	2	...	315	3	5	...	2	10	305	44.6
58	Prospect	126	8	....	...	134	1	1	...	2	4	130	47.1
59	Worcester	479	27	1	...	507	4	10	2	1	17	490	44.2
60	Middlesex	644	135	3	...	782	8	3	1	....	12	770	39.5
61	St. Lawrence	426	131	....	...	557	10	4	...	2	16	541	42.3
62	St. Catherine	451	67	1	...	519	7	2	...	2	11	508	39.1
63	Shields	318	12	....	...	330	4	5	...	....	9	321	42.2
64	Gallagher	167	20	2	...	189	4	....	...	....	4	185	48.2
65	St. Columbkille	492	8	2	...	502	5	3	...	4	12	490	44.1
66	Griffin	326	12	1	...	339	6	....	...	1	7	332	44.2
67	Canton	213	21	1	...	235	3	1	1	....	5	230	43.1
68	St. Margaret	145	9	1	...	155	1	....	...	1	2	153	41.7
69	Stoughton	342	58	2	...	402	8	2	1	....	11	391	42.1
70	St. Michael	157	23	....	...	180	4	3	...	1	8	172	43.1
71	Phil Sheridan	379	16	1	2	398	2	3	...	3	8	390	45.5
72	Merrimack	589	25	2	...	616	3	3	...	....	6	610	44.1
73	Taunton	304	40	....	...	344	3	....	...	....	3	341	44.4
74	Hendricken	111	1	....	...	112	2	....	1	....	3	109	48.8
75	St. Jarlath	149	1	....	...	150	1	....	...	1	2	148	47.4
76	Quincy	128	5	3	...	136	2	1	...	....	3	133	45.4
77	Mystic	347	9	3	...	359	5	1	...	1	7	352	45.2
78	St. Monica	75	3	1	...	79	1	....	...	....	1	78	49.3
79	John Boyle O'Reilly	130	6	....	...	136	1	2	...	....	3	133	40.5
80	Gen. Sherman	83	36	....	...	119	3	....	...	....	3	116	44.2
81	St. Malachi	173	14	4	1	192	....	4	...	....	4	188	45.1
82	Brockton	206	16	....	...	222	2	....	...	....	2	220	45.7
83	John H. Newman	230	30	2	...	262	4	4	...	....	8	254	42.2
84	Danvers	153	17	1	...	171	2	1	...	3	6	165	44.3
85	Geo. Washington	503	71	3	...	577	7	4	...	2	13	564	42.3
86	Avon	126	1	....	...	127	2	1	...	....	3	124	45.4
87	Robert Emmet	140	6	....	...	146	1	....	1	2	4	142	44.9
88	Enterprise	29	.....	.....	...	29	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29	48.1
89	Union	124	.....	.....	...	124	1	....	...	....	1	123	48.1
90	Rockland	68	.....	.....	...	68	3	....	...	....	3	65	53.3
91	St. Vincent	70	1	....	...	71	1	1	...	....	2	69	43.6
92	Harmony	108	11	....	1	120	1	2	...	....	3	117	44.1
93	Germania	148	7	....	...	155	3	....	1	1	5	150	47.1
95	Columbia	288	39	3	...	330	3	1	...	1	5	325	43.2
96	Sacred Heart	115	2	....	...	117	....	....	...	4	4	113	45.8
97	St. Anthony	216	2	2	...	220	2	3	1	1	7	213	39.1
98	Onota	47	18	1	...	66	....	....	2	....	2	64	42.3
99	St. Ignatius	119	9	1	...	129	2	5	...	....	7	122	40.3
100	McCafferty	427	11	....	2	440	3	21	2	2	28	412	41.3
101	Greylock	10	.....	.....	...	10	2	....	...	....	2	8	56.3
102	St. Rose	322	26	1	...	349	6	1	...	....	7	342	47.1
103	St. Elizabeth	273	36	1	...	310	2	1	...	....	3	307	45.2
104	Springfield	183	97	....	...	280	3	6	...	....	9	271	40.7
105	St. Cecelia	189	19	....	...	208	2	1	...	....	3	205	46.1
106	St. Clare	344	24	2	...	370	....	5	1	10	16	354	43.1
107	Notre Dame	267	26	2	...	295	3	2	...	....	5	290	43.2
108	St. Agnes	291	35	1	...	327	4	....	1	1	6	321	44.1
109	St. Teresa	292	54	1	...	347	4	1	...	1	6	341	44.3
110	St. Veronica	87	40	....	...	127	1	1	...	2	4	123	41.3
111	St. Valerian	609	165	3	4	781	7	14	1	1	23	758	39.2
112	Isabella	360	9	....	...	369	4	3	...	2	9	360	43.1
113	St. Jerome	138	7	....	...	145	1	1	...	1	3	142	43.1
114	Alma Mater	499	149	4	...	652	4	5	...	1	10	642	38.5
115	Joan of Arc	84	6	....	...	90	1	....	...	....	1	89	50.1
116	Martha W'sh'ngt'n.	364	43	5	...	412	3	....	1	1	5	407	41.3
117	St. Bridget	29	.....	.....	...	29	1	....	...	....	1	28	50.2
118	St. Othilia	111	12	....	...	123	2	....	1	....	3	120	41.8
119	St. Boniface	122	6	....	...	128	1	1	1	1	4	124	41.9
120	University	155	18	2	...	175	1	....	...	1	2	173	41.1
121	St. Beatrice	85	2	....	...	87	2	....	...	....	.....	87	46.8
122	St. Matthew	206	7	....	...	213	1	....	1	2	4	209	46.1

123	St. Ursula	52	8	1	...	61	2	....	...	....	2	59	48.1
124	St. Loretta	312	9	1	...	322	7	....	...	....	7	315	46.2
125	St. Aloysius	97	11	1	...	109	3	....	...	....	3	106	41.9
126	Bunker Hill	375	3	1	...	379	1	3	...	4	8	371	46.3
127	St. Paul	116	5	....	...	121	1	1	1	....	3	118	40.8
128	Abraham Lincoln	167	12	....	...	179	1	....	...	1	2	177	44.1
129	Bay State	252	14	1	...	267	1	18	...	....	19	248	40.1
130	Annunciation	157	9	....	...	166	1	....	...	....	1	165	44.1
131	St. Stephen	64	2	....	...	66	2	1	...	2	5	61	50.1
132	St. Nicholas	88	37	....	...	125	....	....	...	....	.....	125	38.4
133	Windhorst	50	2	1	...	53	....	....	...	....	.....	53	49.7
134	Hugh O'Brien	203	4	3	...	210	5	....	...	4	9	201	42.1
135	St. Genevieve	372	36	3	...	411	4	1	...	6	11	400	40.1
136	Fr. Conway	441	43	....	...	484	2	1	...	4	7	477	45.8
137	Commonwealth	90	6	....	...	96	....	....	...	....	.....	96	45.6
138	St. Josephine	249	24	2	...	275	....	3	2	2	7	268	42.5
139	Fr. Denvir	161	23	2	...	186	....	1	...	4	5	181	42.1
140	Angelus	124	8	....	...	132	1	2	...	4	7	125	48.5
141	St. Gertrude	287	27	2	...	316	4	3	...	....	7	309	44.4
142	Lepanto	349	18	3	1	371	2	....	...	1	3	368	42.2
143	Lady of Lourdes	190	60	3	1	254	1	1	1	1	4	250	39.3
144	Bethlehem	164	6	3	1	174	1	1	...	1	3	171	44.1
145	Norfolk	106	10	....	...	116	4	1	...	3	8	108	51.5
146	St. Wilhelm	52	.....	2	...	54	2	1	...	....	3	51	54.1
147	St. Helena	233	66	3	...	302	2	2	...	2	6	296	41.2
148	Mt. Carmel	256	17	....	...	273	3	2	...	....	5	268	46.1
149	Gen. Montgomery	104	57	1	...	162	1	....	...	....	1	161	39.1
150	St. Finbar	180	7	1	...	188	3	4	...	7	14	174	44.5
151	Perpetual Help	280	17	4	...	301	8	3	...	5	16	285	42.5
152	Gen. F. A. Walker	33	.....	....	...	33	1	....	...	1	2	31	50.4
153	Fr. Thayer	85	2	....	...	87	1	....	...	5	6	81	49.2
154	Hughes	30	.....	....	...	30	....	....	...	....	.....	30	52.2
155	Magdalen	156	30	1	...	187	1	....	...	....	1	186	41.1
156	Marquette	226	24	1	...	251	2	4	...	....	6	245	36.1
157	Assumption	120	.....	1	...	121	2	1	...	....	3	118	42.5
158	St. Paula	150	6	1	...	157	1	1	...	....	2	155	45.7
159	Immac. Conception	112	.....	4	...	116	1	2	...	....	3	113	44.5
160	Ave Maria	192	32	....	...	224	....	3	1	4	8	216	40.8
161	Wakefield	87	15	....	...	102	1	1	...	....	2	100	42.2
162	Fr. Stack	158	37	....	...	195	1	....	...	....	1	194	41.1
163	Sancta Maria	131	28	3	...	162	1	2	...	....	3	159	39.1
164	St. Eulalia	155	14	1	...	170	2	....	...	....	2	168	44.9
165	Lady of Victory	108	23	1	...	132	3	2	...	2	7	125	41.3
166	St. Agatha	46	3	....	...	49	1	1	...	....	2	47	44.2
167	Pinehurst	42	4	....	...	46	....	....	...	1	1	45	51.1
168	Wachusett	62	1	....	...	63	2	....	...	....	2	61	48.4
169	Charity	131	.....	....	...	131	2	1	...	1	4	127	43.9
170	Westford	104	.....	....	...	104	1	....	...	....	1	103	40.3
171	Wannalancet	148	4	....	...	152	2	1	...	1	4	148	39.1
172	St. Ambrose	109	22	....	...	131	2	....	...	....	2	129	43.1
173	Owen A. Galvin	128	9	2	...	139	1	2	...	....	3	136	42.5
174	St. Winnifred	240	16	3	...	259	2	1	...	5	8	251	38.2
175	Star of the Sea	97	.....	....	...	97	....	2	...	....	2	95	43.5
178	Fallon	137	9	1	...	147	1	....	...	2	3	144	43.1
179	Fr. McNulty	285	19	....	...	304	2	3	...	....	5	299	42.8
180	Neponset	313	19	2	...	334	5	6	1	2	14	320	41.6
181	St. Louise	157	20	....	...	177	2	....	1	2	5	172	43.3
182	Hingham	62	12	2	...	76	....	....	...	....	.....	76	45.1
183	St. Miriam	78	.....	....	...	78	....	....	...	....	.....	78	44.1
184	St. Philip	233	13	2	1	249	1	5	...	1	7	242	42.1
185	St. Stanislaus K	31	6	....	...	37	1	....	...	....	1	36	44.2
186	McDermott	487	115	1	...	603	3	10	...	1	14	589	38.3
187	Blessed Sacrament	163	55	1	...	219	....	2	1	1	4	215	40.1
188	Howard	88	2	....	...	90	....	....	1	1	2	88	35.7
190	St. Lea	306	187	1	...	494	2	7	1	....	10	484	50.1
191	Fr. Roche	63	.....	....	...	63	1	....	...	1	2	61	48.2
192	Holy Cross	186	3	1	1	191	2	14	...	....	16	175	40.1
193	Fr. Keyes	111	3	....	...	114	2	1	...	1	4	110	43.9
194	De La Salle	209	112	2	...	323	2	4	1	....	7	316	39.3
195	Mt. Auburn	100	10	5	...	115	1	1	1	....	3	112	41.1
196	St. Rita	137	59	....	...	196	1	....	...	5	6	190	37.1
197	Campello	106	3	....	...	109	1	....	...	1	2	107	45.3
198	Dorchester	152	10	....	...	162	4	3	...	1	8	154	42.7
199	Lowell	50	2	....	...	52	....	....	...	....	.....	52	41.2
200	Fr. Fitton	57	1	....	...	58	....	1	...	....	1	57	46.7
201	Fr. Thos. F. Lee	118	3	....	...	121	1	1	...	....	2	119	42.1
202	Fr. O'Connor	98	3	....	...	101	1	3	1	2	7	94	44.2
203	Jubilee	67	32	....	...	99	1	1	...	1	3	96	38.6
204	Fraternity	29	.....	....	...	29	....	....	...	....	.....	29	42.1
205	Fr. Scully	55	7	5	...	67	....	....	...	....	.....	67	40.5
206	St. Victorian	129	9	....	...	138	3	8	...	....	11	127	40.7
208	Brookline	108	37	1	...	146	1	3	...	....	4	142	36.5
209	Our Lady of Mercy	37	.....	....	...	37	....	....	...	....	.....	37	46.1
210	Fr. Strain	27	11	....	...	38	1	....	...	1	2	360	41.3
211	St. Luke	88	2	1	...	91	....	....	2	....	2	89	41.8
212	St. Aquinas	52	1	....	...	53	3	1	...	1	5	48	41.1
214	St. Isadore	95	15	1	...	111	....	....	...	1	1	110	40.3
215	Fran. J. McQueeney	71	6	....	...	77	....	....	...	....	.....	77	39.7
216	St. Mark	101	5	1	...	107	1	....	...	....	1	106	39.9
217	Clinton	56	1	....	...	57	....	2	...	....	2	55	45.4
218	Fr. Barry	68	7	3	...	78	....	....	...	....	.....	78	40.6
219	St. Expedit	61	33	2	...	96	....	....	...	2	2	94	40.2
220	Fr. Shahan	63	10	....	...	73	1	....	...	1	2	71	38.2
221	Pentecost	58	8	9	...	75	....	1	...	....	1	74	41.4
222	Cambridge	58	8	1	...	67	2	....	...	1	3	64	42.2
223	Salve Regina	161	2	2	...	165	1	1	...	2	4	161	43.8
224	St. John of Cross	58	.....	....	...	58	1	....	2	1	4	54	43.2
225	Winchester	139	8	1	...	148	....	2	...	2	4	144	44.3
226	Fr. Gavin	48	7	....	...	55	....	....	...	....	.....	55	38.2
227	All Saints'	46	18	....	...	64	1	....	2	....	3	61	39
228	Ashmont	64	2	....	...	66	....	1	1	....	2	64	44.3
229	Allston	69	4	....	...	73	....	....	1	1	2	71	39.5
230	R. A. Collins	97	7	....	...	104	3	4	...	....	7	97	35.
231	Wiseman	100	5	....	...	105	....	....	...	....	.....	105	34.2
232	John Barnes	51	.....	....	...	51	....	....	...	2	2	49	45.2
233	Green River	18	1	....	...	19	....	....	1	....	1	18	45.1
234	St. Gerard	88	9	....	...	97	....	3	1	1	5	92	34.8
235	St. Brendan	127	51	....	6	184	....	15	...	2	17	167	35.1
236	Bishop Stang	36	8	1	...	45	....	....	...	....	.....	45	39.1
237	Fr. Cusick	104	.....	3	...	107	....	5	...	....	5	102	43.3
238	John J. Leonard	148	43	1	...	192	2	6	1	1	10	182	34.4
239	St. Valentine	81	4	....	...	85	1	4	...	....	5	80	39.2
240	Sacred Heart	67	4	....	...	71	....	1	...	....	1	70	26.4
241	Fr. Jos. J. Lynch	51	8	....	...	59	1	1	...	1	3	56	44
243	Daniel O'Connell	37	5	....	...	42	....	....	...	....	.....	42	42.2
244	St. Dominic	29	8	....	...	37	1	....	...	....	1	36	33.2
245	Woronoco	22	.....	....	...	22	....	....	...	....	.....	22	41
246	Mansfield	24	6	....	...	30	....	1	...	....	1	29	37.7
247	Fr. Stone	59	.....	....	...	59	....	....	...	2	2	57	40.7
248	St. Bernadette	36	7	....	...	43	....	....	...	....	.....	43	36.2
249	St. Marie	124	100	....	1	225	1	9	2	1	13	212	31.1
250	Mt. Ida	132	8	....	...	140	2	4	...	....	6	134	30.1
251	Fr. Sherry	155	37	....	...	192	1	....	...	....	1	191	30.8
252	Fr. Halloran	60	5	....	...	65	....	....	...	1	1	64	42.8
253	St. Kevin	91	4	1	...	96	1	....	...	....	1	95	27.6
254	Fr. McGoldrick	57	.....	....	...	57	....	....	...	....	.....	57	38.1
255	Edward Everett	82	23	1	...	106	1	3	...	....	4	102	37.3
256	South Boston	47	11	....	...	58	....	....	...	2	2	56	39.4
257	Lady of Grace	126	15	....	1	142	....	3	1	1	5	137	35.3
258	Presentation	86	4	2	...	92	....	....	...	2	2	90	38.2
259	Malden	132	24	1	...	157	....	2	...	....	2	155	35.1
261	Jamaica Plain	36	26	3	...	65	1	2	...	....	3	62	31.3
262	Cath. T. Leonard	.....	38	1	...	39	....	....	...	....	.....	39	27.2
263	Our Lady of Peace	.....	30	4	...	34	....	....	...	....	.....	34	41.2
264	St. Andrew	.....	28	1	...	29	....	....	...	....	.....	29	28.1

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2 Patrick J. Lally
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4 John J. Sheehan

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5 George W. Boylen
6 Patrick Higgins
7 John P. Lee
8 Patrick J. Hartigan
9 John I. Fitzgerald

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10 Thomas F. Haley
11 James J. Manning
12 Richard Murphy
13 George E. Mennig
14 Peter A. Welsh
15 Henry J. Crentz
16 Frank J. Long
17 Ambrose J. Woods

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18 William W. Bonner
19 John Brant
20 John T. Callan
21 Michael Cavanagh
22 Joseph A. Coyle
23 Thomas M. Fitzpatrick
24 Eugene A. Kelly
25 John A. McGonagle
26 John McLaughlin
27 Michael J. Torpey

Cheverus Court No. 6

28 Hugh J. Maraghy
29 Stephen J. Fitzpatrick
30 George McColgan
31 Bernard Maraghy
32 Jeremiah J. McLaughlin
33 Augustus Rassmussen
34 James J. White
35 Charles F. Smith
36 Harry Humphrey

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38 Hugh O'Connor
39 John Hayes
40 Mrs. Nora J. Barrett

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41 Martin A. Morgan
42 William B. O'Brien
43 Jacob Lind
44 Albert E. Grant
45 John T. Kennedy
46 George A. Montague
47 Jeremiah F. Kelleher
48 Bernard F. Farrell
49 Hugh Montague

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50 Miss I. M. Spencer
51 Mrs. Mary A. Clougherty

Iona Court No. 10

52 Patrick H. Desmond
53 Timothy J. Mahoney
54 William J. Cullinans
55 Thomas E. Tracey
56 Richard B. Howard
57 Frank A. Tracy
58 Edward D. Harrington
59 Richard J. Howard
60 Miss Anna M. Cronin
61 Mrs. Margaret Coakley

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62 Joseph W. Wallace
63 George F. Wentworth
64 Henry C. McKenna
65 Antonio F. R. Novelline

Fulton Court No. 12

66 Hugh E. Nolan

Fitzpatrick Court No. 13

67 James Cullinane
68 Joseph H. McIntire

Lafayette Court No. 14

69 John J. McDonald
70 Patrick H. McCarthy
71 John Driscoll
72 Michael J. Malone

SS. Peter and Paul Court No. 15

73 William J. Sullivan
74 Peter J. Curley
75 Henry A. Brennick
76 Patrick J. Flynn
77 John L. Devereaux
78 James F. Grady
79 Daniel J. Kinally

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80 James F. Burns
81 Patrick F. Collins
82 Michael A. Dodd
83 Michael A. Finnegan
84 John B. Harding
85 Peter J. Kieran
86 James M. Collier
87 Daniel J. McAllister
88 Robert J. McCartney
89 James J. Murphy
90 John H. O'Hara
91 David A. Roche
92 Edward H. Shea
93 Dennis J. Lynch

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94 James A. McGee
95 Samuel J. Corchran
96 Daniel J. Flanagan
97 Denis F. Falvey
98 John Sullivan

St. Peter Court No. 18

99 John F. Brooks
100 James J. Byrne
101 John W. Connelly
102 William H. Donlon
103 John J. Hartin
104 Henry C. Towle, M.D.
105 Thomas E. White
106 John J. Coakley
107 William P. Lyons

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108 Michael J. Kelly
109 Michael J. Shannon
110 Edward J. Murphy
111 William F. Irwin
112 Francis N. Keivenaar
113 James C. O'Shea
114 Thomas F. Greene
115 Henry Morris

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116 Garrett H. Keefe
117 Edward A. Dever
118 John Barry
119 John J. O'Brien

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120 John J. Burns
121 Francis A. Mahan
122 Arthur S. Griffin
123 Augustus Coppenwrath
124 George V. Aker

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125 John H. Cullen
126 James M. Curley
127 John P. Norton
128 William H. Bodfish
129 James D. Grant
130 Martin A. Riley
131 Andrew Stack

St. Gregory Court No. 24

132 John T. Finn
133 Patrick F. Burke
134 James H. McGrath
135 John J. Mahoney
136 John E. Shields

St. Francis Court No. 25

137 Edward Finn
138 Dr. John N. Ash
139 Joseph McNeally
140 Arthur B. Murphy
141 William P. Hughes

St. Raphael Court No. 26

142 Maurice Broune
143 Thomas J. Brennan
144 Charles J. Hurley
145 Lawrence W. Feeney.

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146 William J. Drummond, Jr.
147 Thomas W. Kennedy
148 Thomas McLaughlin
149 Frank J. Suckfull

St. Thomas Court No. 29

150 Charles F. Sullivan
151 R. D. McNeil
152 Thomas O'Connell
153 Andrew F. McCabe
154 Arthur A. Leyden
155 Timothy F. Linehan
156 William G. McGlinchy
157 Angus McDonald

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158 William E. Hansbury
159 Alfred J. Durocher
160 Jeremiah P. Cronin

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161 Mrs. Margaret E. Bonin
162 Dennis J. Foley
163 Frank E. Tracey
164 Dennis S. Doherty
165 James Begley
166 Edward E. Lynch

St. John Court No. 33

167 James F. Curry
168 William F. Coveney
169 Michael J. O'Connell
170 Jeremiah J. Reagan
171 William Finn
172 James H. Newman

Americus Court No. 34

173 Joseph J. Forrester
174 Thomas F. Tremble
175 John J. Geoghan
176 John W. Brown
177 Joseph T. Brennan

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178 Patrick J. Crowley

St. Joseph Court No. 38

179 Thomas S. O'Toole
180 Frank R. Casey

Benedict Court No. 39

181 Lancis S. J. Crocker
182 Frank P. Cooper
183 William F. Kedad
184 Patrick J. O'Neil
185 Mrs. Katherine E. Burke
186 Mrs. Mary J. Mulcahey

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187 Samuel A. Foster
188 Evelyn F. Kelleher (Mrs.)
189 Timothy J. Kelleher

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190 Timothy O'Connell
191 David H. Kerr
192 Bernard D. Farrell
193 Jeremiah Ford
194 William Cahill
195 John Hargedon

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196 James H. Flannery

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197 John E. Murray
198 Francis M. McCarthy
199 James J. Hughes
200 Maurice J. Angland
201 Charles S. O'Connor
202 Daniel P. Murray
203 Peter Cronin
204 Michael J. Dullea
205 Henry W. Walters
206 James Day
207 John Buckley
208 William J. Logue

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209 Maurice F. Foley
210 Daniel J. Galvin
211 Frank S. Whittey

Sarsfield Court No. 48

212 James Lavery
213 Patrick Ryan
214 Patrick Grady
215 Joseph Devlin
216 John McGinn
217 Mrs. Ellen R. Ivers

Constantine Court No. 49

218 Michael A. McGrath
219 James T. Riley
220 William F. Riley

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221 Frank J. Holderried
222 Louis P. Pfau
223 Joseph Vey
224 Killian Hoehner
225 Achille J. Hilbrunner
226 Alfred J. Thomas

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227 John M. Sullivan
228 Jeremiah E. Murphy
229 Charles Nichelson
230 Patrick J. Gatley

Emerald Court No. 53

231 Jeremiah Shea
232 James B. Carbrey
233 Patrick Greehy
234 John Flynn
235 James J. Mahoney
236 Bartholomew Roche

St. James Court No. 54

237 Jeremiah G. Fennessey
238 Thomas W. O'Rourke, Sr.

Charles River Court No. 55

239 William F. Oates
240 James T. Barnes
241 Joseph P. Sullivan
242 Peter Duffy
243 John A. Gallagher

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244 Daniel E. Shaw
245 Thomas E. Shea, Jr.
246 James McQuiggan
247 Patrick H. Flynn
248 Thomas Glennan
249 John H. O'Brien

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250 William F. Rooney
251 Charles S. Reade
252 John F. Devane

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253 Walter Beesting
254 Charles O'Hara
255 John J. Monahan
256 Timothy J. Cronin
257 John Tierney
258 John T. Brady
259 William F. Thompson
260 James E. O'Leary
261 John Keating
262 John Farnon

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263 Miss Mary E. Blake
264 Miss Elizabeth Dunne
265 William H. Thomas
266 Thomas F. Delaney
267 Richard Lyons
268 John Hines
269 John P. Tierney
270 James Ryan
271 James M. Cannon
272 James S. Cannon
273 Edward H. Powers
274 P. S. Cunniff
275 Albert Moore
276 Martin Murphy
277 Mrs. Mary Leahy
278 P. A. Murray

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279 John H. King
280 Charles E. Duffy
281 M. D. O'Day
282 Thomas H. Finan
283 Peter Grace
284 Patrick J. Tynan
285 Edward McDermott
286 Dr. Timothy C. Downes
287 Dennis A. Towel
288 Patrick F. Reagan

St. Catherine Court No. 62

289 Miss Mary E. Murphy
290 William J. Sullivan
291 William J. Mahoney
292 Patrick Gahagan
293 James Flaherty
294 Thomas Cronin
295 Frank Coughlin
296 Charles Dunn
297 Frank Flood
298 George O'Brien

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300 Mederic H. Beloin
301 Patrick J. Driscoll
302 John W. Baittey
303 James J. Clark, Sr.
304 John F. Stapleton

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305 William P. Craig
306 William P. Russell
307 Jeremiah A. Canty
308 Joseph Kane

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309 Thomas Neville
310 John J. McGillicuddy
311 John H. Moran
312 Michael R. Murphy
313 Francis B. McKinney
314 William Ryan
315 Patrick Kelly
316 Andrew Egan
317 Joseph L. Muldoon
318 James Connolly

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319 Bernard F. Callahan
320 James E. McCarty
321 Mathew F. Conroy
322 Philip P. Doherty
323 Robert A. Doherty
324 Mrs. Ellen Locklin

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325 Ambrose W. Buckley
326 Cornelius S. Healy
327 Joseph Kelliher
328 Philip J. McArdle

St. Margaret Court No. 68

329 Edward Grady
330 Cornelius Murray
331 Mary Murray

Stoughton Court No. 69

332 Mrs. Mary Barry
333 G. Austin Connell
334 Mrs. Nellie McCarthy
335 Timothy F. Daly
336 Mrs. Kate McDonald
337 Daniel Bresnahan
338 John Doyle

St. Michael Court No. 70

339 Charles F. Bond
340 John J. McCourt
341 John H. Mullen, Jr

Phil Sheridan Court No. 71

342 John J. Dunn
343 John M. Holland
344 John J. Collins
345 John J. Healey
346 William P. Carlin
347 John J. O'Brien

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348 Daniel H. Maguire
349 John T. Desmond
350 David F. Roche
351 John A. Burns
352 Thomas F. Bough
353 John J. Murphy
354 Timothy W. Murphy
355 John J. Cummings
356 Charles M. Ryan
357 Thomas J Murphy
358 Denis Murphy
359 George W. Flynn

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362 John S. Conaty
363 Patrick O'Donnell
364 Philip Reilly
365 James Quigley
366 William Crowley

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368 Michael W. Murphy

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369 John McGrath
370 John Murphy
371 Edward F. Conley

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372 J. Frank Goodhue
373 Michael Dorlay
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375 John C. Gillis
376 William F. McNeil
377 John Nolan
378 Michael E. O'Brien
379 Patrick Phelan
380 John Scannell
381 Edward Shannon

St. Monica Court No. 78

382 Mrs. Mae G. Watts
383 John Doody

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384 John B. Duffy
385 Paul Murphy
386 George A. Thomson

General Sherman Court No. 80

387 William M. O'Connell
388 James Lang

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389 Daniel Daley
390 Thomas F. Kenney
391 John F. Quinn

Brockton Court No. 82

392 M. J. Reardon
393 John J. Kelleher
394 John J. Spillan
395 M. E. Milan

John Henry Newman Court No. 83

396 F. Fred Driscoll
397 Joseph F. Bonner

398 Stephen J. O'Brien
399 John F. Fay
400 Charles F. McNeill

Danvers Court No. 84

401 David F. McCarthy
402 Irving E. Blanchard
403 Michael J. O'Connor

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404 Patrick Comer
405 Michael Casey
406 William H. Duffey
407 John F. Mahoney
408 James J. Sullivan
409 John B. McCarthy
410 John H. Welsh
411 Edward W. Shanahan
412 John J. Cannon
413 Frank P. Muckran
414 Michael Casey

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415 Daniel Doherty
416 Michael F. Clark
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418 Terrance Dalton
419 Samuel B. Hannaford
420 Thomas Lavender

Enterprise Court No. 88

421 Daniel Cooney

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422 Francis J. Hanley, M.D.
423 George W. Woodman

Rockland Court No. 90

424 Henry S. Healy

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425 Hector J. Fortin

Harmony Court No. 92

426 Peter J. Dorey
427 Thomas E. Luddy

Germania Court No. 93

428 Valentine Baier
429 Adolph Kohler
430 John M. Schell

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431 Frank B. Bean
432 Peter H. Bradley
433 James A. Desmond
434 Dennis P. Kennedy
435 John F. McKernan
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438 Luke F. Callan
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440 Peter B. Hart
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444 Miss Mary P. Bligh

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445 James E. Phelan
446 Thomas J. Doyle

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447 John F. Harrigan
448 Martin Kelly
449 Charles H. Wheeler
450 Phillip Drake
451 Thomas F. Boyle
452 Edward F. Barker
453 Daniel A. Moynihan
454 T. H. Murphy

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455 Mrs. Catherine Beaton
456 Mrs. Mary A. Mayo
457 Mrs. Margaret Galligan
458 Mrs. Mary A. Higgins
459 Mrs. Julia A. Emery
460 Miss Mary A. Conley
461 Mrs. Margaret McCann

St. Elizabeth Court No. 103

462 Miss Mary V. Moran
463 Mrs. M. Elizabeth Parker
464 Miss Mary Cronan
465 Miss Katherine Galvin
466 Mrs. Elizabeth Galvin
467 Miss Mary O'Keefe

Springfield Court No. 104

468 Michael J. Sexton
469 Daniel J. O'Connell
470 William B. Cooney
471 Patrick J. Keane
472 Thomas F. Connors

St. Cecilia Court No. 105

473 Mrs. Catherine Berlo
474 Mrs. Barbara Stuper
475 Mrs. Eva Vey
476 Miss Carolina A. Hasenfuss

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479 Mrs. Margaret J. Patterson
480 Dr. Helen I. D. McGillicuddy
481 Mrs. Ellen F. Driscoll
482 Miss Mary A. O'Keefe
483 Dr. Mary A. Malloy

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485 Mrs. Mary Costello
486 Mrs. Margaret Flynn
487 Mrs. Sarah Mahoney
488 Mrs. Mary O'Brien
489 Miss Mary Woods

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490 Miss Helen P. Jordan
491 Mrs. Margaret L. Fahey
492 Mrs. Elizabeth F. O'Brien
493 Mrs. Delia F. Stack
494 Mrs. Helen A. Whalen
495 Mrs. Josephine G. Dolan

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496 Mrs. Marie McElroy
497 Mrs. Katherine Frame
498 Mrs. Vera Meade
499 Mrs. Margaret Meade
500 Mrs. Catherine McManus
501 Mrs. Catherine Ronan
502 Mrs. Delia Linehan

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503 Mrs. Annie M. C. King
504 Mrs. Julia C. Murray
505 Mrs. Mary E. McArdle

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506 Miss Annie C. Sullivan
507 Miss Annie Collins
508 Mrs. Charlotte Gleason
509 Mrs. Margaret Quinlan
510 Mrs. Catherine Grady
511 Miss Agnes Gorman
512 Miss Kathryn G. Fitzgerald
513 Miss Margaret Cronin
514 Mrs. Bridget Sweeney
515 Mrs. Mary Hawkins
516 Miss Nellie Tuohill
517 Mrs. Lucy Murphy
518 Miss Helen Donoghue
519 Miss Mae Gibbons
520 Mrs. Annie Whitty

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521 Mrs. Bridget Donoghue
522 Mrs. Margaret E. Clark
523 Mrs. Mary Donoghue
524 Miss Katherine Griffin
525 Mrs. Mary Green
526 Mrs. Nellie McLean
527 Mrs. Rose M. Curley

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530 Michael Collins

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538 Miss Margaret E. Leahy
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564 William R. Gregg
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566 John Wardell
567 Lawrence Branagan

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568 Mrs. Elizabeth F. Marshall

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569 Mrs. Georgiana Norton
570 Miss Mary Fox
571 Mrs. Catherine Foley
572 Mrs. Catherine Cronin
573 Mrs. Carrie H. Long
574 Miss Mary F. Sullivan

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575 Jacob Hauck
576 John P. Ketterle

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577 George Barnes
578 Patrick B. Carr
579 Daniel J. Donovan
580 Benj. J. A. Green
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585 Mr. Edward Vogel
586 Mr. George Kern

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587 Mrs. Annie F. Silva
588 Mrs. Alice G. Kelly
589 Miss Margaret L. Casey
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595 Edward J. Thomas

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597 Mrs. Catherine Finnegan
598 Mrs. Ellen C. Hughes

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599 John T. Mahoney

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600 Jacob H. Drier
601 Peter Strassel

Windhorst Court No. 133

602 Arnold Kuntz

Hugh O'Brien Court No. 134

603 Edward J. Mullaney
604 Michael Donovan
605 Andrew Redmond
606 Thomas J. O'Brien

St. Genevieve Court No. 135

607 Mrs. Bridget Mallanaphy
608 Miss Helen V. Curley
609 Mrs. Bridget E. Cross
610 Mrs. Mary E. Moran
611 Mrs. Josephine N. Mead
612 Miss Mary E. Mead
613 Mrs. Bridget A. Benson
614 Miss Mary C. Nash

Father Conway Court No. 136

615 Mrs. Mary Duignan
616 Mrs. Catherine Long
617 Mrs. Katie Patrick
618 Mrs. Mary Harden
619 Mrs. Mary Fitzpatrick
620 Mrs. Sarah Lundgren
621 Miss Mary Taffe
622 Mrs. Jane Murphy
623 Mrs. Susan Roche
624 Mrs. Hannah Shea

Commonwealth Court No. 137

625 Miss Mary Cronin
626 Miss Rose M. Creedon

St. Josephine Court No. 138

627 Mrs. Helen G. Garvey
628 Miss Teresa M. Bayes
629 Miss Eunice M. Slane
630 Mrs. Jane H. Wren
631 Miss Ella M. Dolan

Father Denvir Court No. 139

632 Miss Margaret Dennehy
633 Mrs. Mary Fleming
634 Mrs. Mary Tivnan

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635 Mrs. Delia Finn
636 Mrs. Mary Burns

St. Gertrude Court No. 141

637 Mrs. Bridget Farrell
638 Mrs. Susan B. Mahouey
639 Mrs. Rosa M. Frost
640 Miss Annie Callahau
641 Mrs. Elizabeth Daisey
642 Mrs. Mary E. Green

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643 Patrick J. Daley
644 Charles E. Bonning
645 Michael J. Smith
646 Peter Hastings
647 John O'Shea
648 Robert Carroll
649 John A. Foley

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650 Miss Bridget L. Carty
651 Mrs. Bridget Hutnagle
652 Miss Mary L. Kelly
653 Mrs. Eliza Dolan
654 Mrs. Florence M. Abbott

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655 Mrs. Alice Thompson
656 Miss Rose C. Brooks
657 Miss Elizabeth V. Norton

Norfolk Court No. 145

658 Thomas Desmond
659 Timothy F. Toomey

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660 George Christoph

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661 Mrs. Helen Letts
662 Mrs. Maria McCarthy
663 Miss Theresa Quigley
664 Mrs. Catherine McEntee
665 Mrs. Julia Fitzpatrick

Mt. Carmel Court No. 148

666 Mrs. Rose Clark
667 Mrs. Susan Ryan
668 Mrs. Elizabeth McGlinchey
669 Mrs. Elizabeth A. Flood
670 Mrs. Margaret Lynch

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671 James E. Jackson
672 John L. Condon
673 Charles L. O'Neil

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674 James T. Barrett
675 Bernard J. Brogan
676 Michael J. Maraghy
677 Thomas Ryan

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678 Mrs. Mary A. Waul
679 Mrs Mary A. Sheerin
680 Miss Rose M. Weidman
681 Miss M. Teresa Sheerin
682 Miss Mary J. Conway
683 Mrs. Mary F. Murphy

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684 John T. Howard

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685 Miss Mary E. Whalen
686 Mrs. Susan Backus

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687 Mrs. Margaret T. Colbert

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688 Miss Lucy Shea
689 Miss Margaret Flanagau
690 Mrs. Mary T. Mulkern

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691 William H. Gavin
692 J. Joseph Flynn
693 John L. Ahearn
694 George W. Murphy
695 James J. Eagan

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696 Miss Margaretta Curley
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698 Miss Margaret Fennessey
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Immaculate Conception Court No. 159

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702 John F. Good

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703 Miss Margaret R. Murphy
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707 John Downes

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709 Miss Mary Hughes
710 Mrs. Nora Daley
711 Miss Elizabeth Hyde

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714 Mrs. Mary A. Ryan

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715 Miss Margaret Splaine
716 Mrs. Helen Hutchinson
717 Mrs. Mary Egan

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719 Mrs. Mary Sweeney

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720 Mrs. Margaret Kelleher

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721 Miss Katherine Driscoll
722 Mrs. Genevelve L. Sullivan

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729 Gabriel Audoin
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738 Miss H. Gertrude McCarty
739 Mrs. Katherine Finn
740 Mrs. Julie Voke
741 Miss Katherine Fee

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742 Joseph Rafferty
743 Miss Annie L. McClosky

Mary A. Fallon Court No. 178

744 Richard Bresnahan
745 William Doyle
746 Timothy J. Lyons

Father McNulty Court No. 179

747 Daniel Coffey
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750 Miss Nora Minnehan
751 Miss Nora O'Connor
752 W. Charles Foley

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753 Peter McManus
754 John H. Murphy
755 John T. Mullane
756 Matthew Cummings
757 Cornelius M. Duggan
758 Charles MsCarthy

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759 Mrs. Catherine Brady
760 Mrs. Mary J. Noonan
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762 Denis E. Murphy
763 William Daley

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764 Miss Margaret Spellman
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767 Thomas J. Hannon
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770 James W. Scanlon

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771 Leo Fandrey

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772 James A. Donovan
773 Thomas P. Quinlivan
774 Thomas H. Lovett
775 John F. Collins
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779 William C. Looney
780 Thomas M. Collins, Jr.
781 Charles J. Jefferson
782 John B. Hare
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785 Mrs. Annie Wiseman
786 Mrs. Ellen D. Reynolds
787 Mrs. Anna D. Shelly

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788 Ellen Ahren
789 Mrs. Johanna Ward

St. Lea Court No. 190
790 Mrs. Genevieve M. Conlin
791 Miss Mary Crowley
792 Mrs. Anna Looney
793 Miss Nonie Looney
794 Mrs. Katherine Cullinane
795 Mrs. Josephine Lovett
796 Mrs. Elinor Mack
797 Miss Genevieve Dowling
798 Mrs. Helen Garvey
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803 Robert J. Black
804 John D. Cardinal

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805 Patrick I. McLaughlin
806 Miss Katherine G. Leahy

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808 George H. McCullough
809 John H. Clancy
810 Walter E. Stanger

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811 Timothy Curran
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813 Mrs. Etta Culliton
814 Mrs. Bridget McGee
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Campello Court No. 197
816 Miss Margaret Desmond
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830 Miss Joanna Fitzmaurice

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831 Mrs. Mary McLaughlin
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833 Mrs. Helen Galvin

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835 Patrick Murphy
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837 Mr. John A. McKenna

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838 Michael W. Lane

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839 Joseph Small
840 William S. Fallon

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841 William E. Levangie

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Father Barry Court No. 218
850 William G. White
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852 Joseph J. McManus
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855 Miss Annie T. Coveney

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856 James E. Connerty

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858 Miss Mary Harrington
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St. John of the Cross Court No. 224
860 Helen T. Maxwell

Winchester Court No. 225
861 Miss Mary B. Fallon
862 P. J. Kenneally
863 David Meskell

Father Gavin Court No. 226
864 Miss Susan Martin

All Saints' Court No. 227
865 Miss Mary Dugan

Ashmont Court No. 228
866 Mrs. Sara Geddes

Allston Court No. 229
867 Mrs. Rose McClellan

P. A. Collins Court No. 230
868 Thomas J. Ducey
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Wiseman Court No. 231
870 Mrs. Mary Loftus
871 Mrs. Mary Dalton

John Barnes Court No. 232
872 George T. McLaughlin

Green River Court No. 233
873 Elizabeth A. Collins

St. Gerard Court No. 234
874 Mrs. Margaret M. Riley
875 Miss Marie A. Lee

St. Brendan Court No. 235
876 Mrs. Anna Koling
877 John J. Sweeney
878 Miss Mary C. Fenton

Bishop Stang Court No. 236
879 Henry V. Hopkins

Fr. Cusick Court No. 237
880 Frank F. Farrell
881 Daniel F. Sweeney

John J. Leonard Court No. 238
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887 Daniel A. Walden

Fr. Joseph T. Lynch Court No. 241
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889 Mrs. Margaret O'Leary

St. Dominic Court No. 244
890 Joseph Drum

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Mansfield Court No. 246
892 George Davis

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St. Bernadette Court No. 248
894 Miss Margaret E. Troy

St. Marie Court No. 249
895 Miss Madeline M. Downs
896 Miss Margaret Sullivan
897 Mrs. Mary A. Burke
898 Miss Katherine Connors

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899 Frank H. Reid
900 John J. Norton
901 John A. Anderson

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902 William F. Crowe
903 Hon. William P. Hayes
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905 James J. McKeon

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906 Miss Elizabeth Dolan
907 John D. Floyd

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908 John Egan
909 Richard Cole

Father McGoldrick Court No. 254
910 Edmund L. Dolan

Edward Everett Court No. 255
911 James H. Molineaux
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913 Patrick F. Grant

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914 Mrs. Margaret A. Harrington
915 Mrs. Margaret J. Gilmore
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917 William B. Moran
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919 Mr. John P. Sullivan
920 Patrick Reardon
921 Michael Kelliher

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923 Helena Sheehan

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AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION

PROPOSED FOR ACTION AT THE FORTY-FIRST ANNUAL SESSION OF THE HIGH COURT, MASSACHUSETTS CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS, MAY 26, 1920

And a Report, as to the Action Which Will Be Taken Upon Them, Will Be Contained in the July Number of the M. C. O. F. Herald

To the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters:

The Committee on Constitution, appointed by the High Chief Ranger to consider and report upon Constitutional Amendments proposed for the consideration and action of the Annual Session of the High Court, has considered the several amendments herein presented, and submits the recommendations thereto appended.

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High Chief Ranger.
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Cathedral Court No. 1.
JOHN W. CONNELLY,
St. Peter Court No. 18.
JEREMIAH G. FENNESSEY,
St. James Court No. 54.
P. SARSFIELD CUNNIFF,
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JOHN F. HARRIGAN,
McCafferty Court No. 100.
JAMES H. BENSON,
John J. Leonard Ct., 238.

Boston, Mass., April 11, 1920.

1. Amend Article II, Section 2, High Court Constitution, Page 7, by striking out the last sentence in said section, so that the section as amended shall read:

"Article II, Section 2. Each Subordinate Court shall be entitled to elect one Past Chief Ranger as Representative to and Member of the High Court and one Past Chief Ranger as Alternate, and one additional Past Chief Ranger as Representative and one as Alternate for every fifty members, or majority fractional part thereof, in excess of the first fifty. Alternate shall act only in the absence or inability of the regular Representative. A Chief Ranger may be elected a Representative or Alternate provided he shall have held the office of Chief Ranger one full term, and shall be a Past Chief Ranger at the time of his acting as such Representative or Alternate. A Court not having a sufficient number of Past Chief Rangers for its full representation, may be represented by other members elected for that purpose. Representatives to and members of the High Court shall serve one year."

Presented by St. Francis Court No. 4.

Recommended for adoption.

2. Amend Article IV, Section 1, Subordinate Court Constitution, page 40, by striking out the word "December" in the eighth line, and inserting in place thereof, the word "September" so that the Section as amended shall read:

"Article IV, Section 1. The elective officers of a Subordinate Court shall be a Chief Ranger, Vice-Chief Ranger, Recording Secretary, Financial Secretary, Treasurer, Senior Conductor, Junior Conductor, Inside Sentinel, Outside Sentinel, and three Trustees. They shall be elected annually at the last regular meeting in September, at which time there shall be elected also the prescribed number of Representatives and Alternates, as provided in Article II, Section 2, High Court Constitution."

Presented by Annie McGovern, Alma Mater Court No. 114.

Recommended for adoption.

3. Amend Article IV, Section 2, Subordinate Court Constitution, page 40, by striking out the word "January" in the last line, and inserting in place thereof, the word "October," so that the section as amended shall read:

"Article IV, Section 2. All elections shall be by ballot and a majority of the votes cast shall be necessary for election, except for Representatives and Alternates. All candidates for office shall be members in good financial standing. Vacancies in the above offices shall be filled for the remainder of the term by election at a regular meeting. The installation of officers shall take place annually at the first regular meeting in October.

Presented by Annie McGovern, Alma Mater Court No. 114.

Recommended for adoption.

4. Amend Article VII, Section 10, High Court Constitution, page 17, by adding at the end thereof: "And shall receive such compensation for his services as may be determined by the High Court in Annual Session," so that the Article as amended shall read:

"Article VII, Section 10. The High Medical Examiner shall examine all Medical Examiners as to their fitness and skill to perform the duties of the office of Medical Examiner, and report thereon to the High Standing Committee. He shall investigate and pass upon all applications for membership and perform such other professional duties as the General Constitution, the High Court or the High Standing Committee may require, and shall receive such compensation for his services as may be determined by the High Court in Annual Session."

Presented by P. W. Moriarty, St. Jerome Court No. 113.

Recommended for adoption.

5. Amend Article VIII, Section 2, High Court Constitution, page 18, lines 10 and 11, by striking out the words "One Dollar and Seventy-five Cents," and inserting in place thereof the words "Two Dollars," so that the Article as amended shall read:

"Article VIII, Section 2. The Medical Examiner shall examine and pass upon the physical condition of applicants for admission to the Courts of the District over which he is appointed, and in his examination he shall strictly adhere to the rules of examination contained in the application blank, and when in doubt as to the desirability of the risk, he shall reject the applicant. He shall receive the sum of Two Dollars for each medical examination of an applicant."

Presented by P. W. Moriarty, St. Jerome Court No. 113.

Recommended for adoption.

6. Amend Article VIII, Section 1, Subordinate Court Constitution, page 50, by eliminating the first paragraph thereof and inserting in place thereof the following, so that the first paragraph of the first section as amended shall read:

"Article VIII, Section 1. The Initiation Fee for membership in Subordinate Courts shall be three dollars, of which sum one dollar shall be payable at initiation, and two dollars shall be sent to the district Medical Examiner for the examination of the applicant, and in all cases it shall be transmitted with the application."

Presented by P. W. Moriarty, St. Jerome Court No. 113.

Recommended for adoption.

7. Amend Article VIII, Section 1, High Court Constitution, so that the Article as amended shall read:

"Article VIII, Section 1. There shall be established and controlled by the High Court a fund to be known as the Mortuary Fund, which shall be maintained for the purpose of paying to the widows, husbands, children, relatives or dependents of deceased members of the Order the sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000). This amount shall be payable upon the death of any member in good financial standing to the beneficiary or beneficiaries designated by the member or to any other person or persons legally entitled to receive it. In order to insure the payment thereof the members of the Order shall pay assessments to the Mortuary Fund according as such assessments may be levied by the High Standing Committee. Each member shall pay such assessments at a rate which shall be fixed according to age at initiation, and shall continue to be the same until the member shall have paid into the Order for thirty years, at the end of which time the High Standing Committee shall give him or her a paid up certificate for the rest of his or her life, and said member shall be entitled to all the benefits of the Order, and shall be exempt from paying according to the following table, which is the rate payable by members who have not paid into the Order thirty years:

From 18 to 25 years of age.....	$ .90
From 25 to 30 years of age.....	1.00
From 30 to 35 years of age.....	1.10
From 35 to 40 years of age.....	1.20
From 40 to 45 years of age.....	1.30

Mortuary claims for members who have paid into the Order for thirty years shall be paid from the Mortuary Fund, Emergency Fund, or any other source which the High Standing Committee may determine."

Presented by John F. McKernan, Columbia Court No. 95.

Recommended for rejection.

REPORT OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

Forty-First Annual Session of the High Court

OF THE

MASSACHUSETTS CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS

HELD AT KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HALL, HOLYOKE, MASSACHUSETTS, MAY 26, 1920

ANNUAL SESSION

The representatives met in Knights of Columbus Hall at the Forty-First Annual Convention of the High Court. These officers were present: High Chief Ranger, William H. Thomas; High Vice-Chief Ranger, William J. Sullivan; High Senior Conductor, Thomas F. Haley; High Junior Conductor, James E. O'Leary; High Inside Sentinel, John J. Collins; High Outside Sentinel, Dr. Helen I. Doherty; High Medical Examiner, Francis J. Hanley, M.D.; High Chaplain, Rev. James H. O'Neil, LL.D.

The session was called to order at 10.10 A. M., by High Chief Ranger, William H. Thomas, who called upon the High Chaplain, Rev. Dr. O'Neil, to offer prayer.

The Corporation Counsel, Hon. Joseph A. Sheehan, then addressed the Convention as follows:

"In order that the machinery of this session may be properly under way and the Convention legally constituted, I desire to make a motion. Before making it I am going to ask the Convention to instruct the High Chief Ranger to send a message of sympathy to High Secretary-Treasurer Daniel H. Maguire. About ten years ago Brother Maguire was elected to fill this important office. During these ten years he has served this organization with honesty, industry, absolnte integrity and devotion to its interests. There can be little doubt but that the illness which befell him a year ago last December was in no small measure due to the energy and devotion he gave. When you realize that in the past it has been the custom to attend to the duties of that office not only eight hours a day in the usual way, but in addition to that, year after year going about the state, visiting the various Courts, affecting his energy and health by the conscientious discharge of the duties of that great office, it becomes apparent to all that the office is one of great physical and mental strain. And I think as a tribute to him for the splendid work he has done and as an earnest of our sympathy and regret that he is today retiring from that important office, we may well send to him an expression of our sympathy for him in his illness, in the hope that God in His goodness will soon restore him to his usual good health and bring about the activity that he was wont to have in the years gone by."

On motion of the Corporation Counsel, Hon. Joseph A. Sheehan, it was voted the following telegram be sent to our worthy High Secretary-Treasurer, Daniel H. Maguire:

"Representatives in Forty-First Annual Session at Holyoke extend sympathy in your illness and deep regret at your retiring from office because of it. Assurance of deep regard and appreciation of services rendered. Prayers for your speedy restoration to health and strength. You are greatly missed."

The Corporation Counsel, continuing said:

"I want to ask this Convention as a little mark of honor to bestow a little distinction on the modest young lady who sits at the table at the right of the High Chief Ranger. We all recognize the fact that during the past year particularly, there has been a very great and tremendous strain upon the office of High Secretary-Treasurer. We are to congratulate ourselves—and I say it with all the earnestness and seriousness that is within my power—that we had in the office of the High Secretary such an eminently capable person as Miss O'Donnell. I regret exceedingly that it is not possible for me to say words that will sufficiently convey to the minds of those not acquainted with the situation the character and the unreserved devotion that she has given to your interests during this trying period. She has demonstrated remarkable ability and a wonderful capacity for dealing not only with men and women, but measures, and I personally have a deep regret, for I think if she were to have placed herself in a position of eligibility for this office, the Convention would, without a dissenting voice, bestow on her this responsible position. There is not a man in the organization, there is not a woman in the organization more eminently equipped than she. She came into the office in the first place under the splendid tuition of the late lamented John J. Leonard, a man of splendid heart and ability for carrying on the work. She had her initial training under him and she trained in a most excellent school. But during the time of her service and doing her duties she was all the time improving herself and making herself more and more competent for the discharge of the duties that came to her, so that when a crisis came to us she was so well qualified that there is not a human being who has had to do with her in the conduct of that office who has a word of adverse criticism for her. Her ability has been beyond question, her kindliness, her womanliness, her gentleness in dealing with everybody who has had anything to do with her has been conspicuous, and I am going to ask the Convention, as a tribute and a little honor to her, by your vote, to make her the Acting High Secretary for this Convention."

Seconded by High Junior Conductor O'Leary. Unanimously carried.

The High Chief Ranger then called upon the Acting High Secretary-Treasurer to read the call for the Convention, which was read as follows:

OFFICE OF THE HIGH STANDING COMMITTEE
17 Worcester Street, Boston, Mass.

March 22, 1920.

To all Subordinate Courts of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters:

In accordance with the provisions of Article V, Section I of the High Court Constitution, the High Standing Committee do this Twenty-second day of March, Nineteen Hundred and Twenty, call upon all duly elected Representatives of each Subordinate Court, to assemble in the Forty-first Annual Session of the High Court of The Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters, to be held on Wednesday, the Twenty-sixth day of May, Nineteen Hundred and Twenty, in Knights of Columbus Hall, Holyoke, to be opened in due form at 9.30 A. M.

Credentials will be forwarded to each Court, and must be signed and presented to the Committee on Credentials.

Per Order of the High Standing Committee of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters:

WILLIAM H. THOMAS, *High Chief Ranger.*
DANIEL H. MAGUIRE, *High Secretary-Treasurer.*

The High Chief Ranger appointed the following Committee on Credentials:

James J. Lanigan, Chairman, Cathedral Court No. 1
William E. Farrell, Shields Court No. 63
Mrs. Margaret E. Clark, Isabella Court No. 112
Timothy J. McCarthy, McDermott Court No. 186
Patrick J. Keane, Springfield Court No. 104
Timothy H. Murphy, McCafferty Court No. 190
Mrs. Catherine Foley, St. Loretta Court No. 124
Mary E. Murphy, St. Catherine Court No. 62
Michael Donovan, University Court No. 120
Mrs. Julia Fitzpatrick, St. Helena Court No. 147
Mrs. Mary C. McNulty, Fr. Sherry Court No. 251
William G. White, Fr. Barry Court No. 218
Joseph J. McManus, St. Expedit Court No. 219
James McCabe, Jamaica Plain Court No. 261
John McGaffigan, Fr. Supple Court No. 265

Brother James J. Lanigan of Cathedral Court No. 1, Chairman of the Committee on Credentials, reported as follows for the Committee: Convention when completed is entitled to 931 Delegates, representing 251 Courts. Credentials have been received from 820 Delegates representing 220 Courts. A protest having been made against the seating of Brother Dennis J. Lynch of Essex Court No. 16, the Committee after hearing recommended that Brother Lynch be seated. On motion duly seconded it was voted the report of the Committee on Credentials be accepted as progressive and the recommendation adopted.

The High Chief Ranger presented to the Convention the Rev. James H. O'Neil, LL.D., High Chaplain, who addressed the delegates as follows:

It is with feelings of the deepest gratitude to Almighty God for His boundless blessing on Forestry that we are assembled here today. It affords me great pleasure to be able to inform you how faithfully the High Standing Committee has accomplished the duties imposed upon it, in the conduct of the affairs of our great organization. Gathered together today, we find ourselves face to face with conditions which will force our organization to remain more faithful than ever to all the principles and teachings of the M. C. O. F. Thank God, since our last convention, the world war, which wrought such havoc, ravaged the hearts of men, and disrupted nations, has been brought to an end. The stupendous work of reconstruction has begun and now more than ever must we realize the absolute necessity there is of our hearty cooperation in promoting the wise plans that are being devised to procure a satisfactory, just and equitable settlement of the problems that confront us on all sides.

Under such new and strange conditions of social unrest, labor difficulties and moral depravity, as an organization having for its object the welfare of Church and State—it devolves upon us to manifest a broader, stronger spirit of self-sacrifice; a keener, more unselfish activity; a firmer, more unyielding determination to exert ourselves to become more deeply imbued with the true characteristic spirit of our organization. We must ever bear in mind the sublime teachings of Mother Church, which for centuries and centuries, has proved herself the staunch, loyal and true friend of law and order. We must cling close to that same loving Mother who, enlightened and guided by the Holy Spirit, has led her triumphant for over 1900 years, through the trials and vicissitudes of warlike nations and persecutions from within and without her pale.

Now, more than ever, do we realize the truth of our Blessed Lord's words, when He said, "Behold I am with you all days, even to the consummation of the world," and again, "The gates of Hell shall not prevail against her."

Appreciate, if you can, the wonderful power for good which you command by the strength of your organization, the far-reaching influence of the members in every walk of society and profession. Consequently, availing yourselves of these resources it becomes your bounden duty to lend your powerful aid to align yourselves with the Church in her never-ceasing efforts to restore all things in Christ and work for the betterment of society and the welfare of the individual. Never deviate from the principles of Faith, inculcated from your tenderest years. Defend the Church against the attacks by which she is being constantly assailed. Today, more than ever, does she lean heavily upon her children for their loyal support in offsetting the baleful influence of present-day pernicious literature, intended to poison the minds and hearts of society and destroy all established order. The many false doctrines being disseminated today have for one of their objects the destruction of Holy Mother Church, especially the salutary influence of her powerful school system. As members of a strong Catholic organization—your plain duty lies before you, and, as your Chaplain, I exhort you to be of "one mind and one heart" in all that concerns the welfare of Holy Mother Church and her defence.

We must never forget, and we must be justly proud of the fact, that the Church is the bulwark of society and it is the only organization that stands today unreservedly for truth and justice.

But, unfortunately, there are many who are continually striving to undermine the Catholic Church and at the same time parade themselves as defenders of state and nation. In attacking the Catholic Church, however, they are assailing the last bulwark of the nation, because she is the one institution that stands inevitably for the eternal principles of truth, justice and purity. It is most evident that there is a growing tendency to disregard all rightly established authority and to fling aside all regard for truth and honesty. Capital, on the one hand, does not hesitate to gouge its millions from the sweat and labor of its employees, while on the other hand, the radical element of labor is inclined to seek redress, by having recourse to methods which do not harmonize with truth and justice. You must never forget that one wrong does not justify another, consequently, must the interested parties apply constitutional methods to bring about an amicable settlement of their difficulties. You are the living exponents of the teachings of the Catholic Church and I appeal to you to direct your powerful influence along the lines which will be in accordance with law and order, truth and justice.

Greatly do we deplore the melancholy condition of the world today. A spirit of unrest, dissatisfaction and discontentedness is rampant and, while nations and rulers of nations have had recourse to plans to restore peace to the world—all have failed and have failed utterly. In the last analysis, there is but one power upon earth which can bring order out of chaos and restore peace to the unhappy peoples of all nations—and that power is the Catholic Church.

All hail then to our Glorious Mother. May her spirit of peace ever reign supreme over the hearts and minds of men, that everywhere there may be a lasting, abiding peace "that surpasseth all understanding."

Praying with St. Paul that "The name of Jesus Christ may be glorified in you and you in Him," I implore you to be staunch and loyal defenders of Holy Mother Church, and faithful members of your own most worthy organization.

Such is the general lesson I would inculcate as a yearly message to you.

And now to the convention.

The past year has been most extraordinary in many ways as you will learn from the various reports submitted to you. Your High Standing Committee has been untiring in its labors and this joined to the efforts of the rank and file of our members, has given to our Order a banner year.

Today you will elect to office new members to be your guides for the coming twelve months.

Let me exhort you to act conscientiously and put in positions of trust and responsibility only those who by talent and knowledge and experience will lead to success. No thought of personal friendship or to personal appeals shall be heeded. Ask yourself who will serve the Order best, and with this thought in your hearts, do your duty like true Catholic men and women, to the end that the coming year and all succeeding years may enrich our golden history with countless works done for God and humanity.

Concluding his address, Father O'Neil thanked the Courts for their kindness for the testimonials given him on the occasion of his anniversary. Father O'Neil also requested that as His Eminence, the Cardinal, was away in the Eternal City, that the following cablegram be sent him:

May 26, 1920.

To His Eminence, William Cardinal O'Connell,
Rome, Italy.

Fifty Thousand Members of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters through their representatives in Annual Session assembled at Holyoke, beg leave to extend to your Eminence renewed assurance of love, devotion, and loyalty.

Chaplain General, James H. O'Neil.

On motion of High Junior Conductor, James E. O'Leary, it was voted that the Convention stand while the greeting was being sent to His Eminence.

On motion of Brother Michael J. Shannon of Williams Court No. 19 it was voted that the address of the High Chaplain be accepted and spread upon the records of this Convention.

High Vice-Chief Ranger Sullivan in the chair.

The acting High Chief Ranger called upon High Chief Ranger Thomas to address the Convention.

Address of High Chief Ranger Thomas:

Representatives to the High Court of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters in Forty-first Annual Session Assembled,

Sisters and Brothers:

The passing of time and the constitutional requirement bring us together once more in annual session.

We meet today with a stern realization of the great responsibility which rests upon us as the supreme governing body of our splendid Order in reviewing the work of the past year, and deliberating upon and determining the best methods to insure its future progress.

It is not without sadness that we convene, realizing the great loss sustained during the year by the death of Past High Chief Rangers Daniel A. Cronin and Denis F. Murphy, and Deputy High Chief Ranger Della K. McGeever.

Past Chief Ranger Cronin made an indelible impress upon our organization as the highest type of Catholic Forester. He rendered invaluable service during the entire life of the Order, and his wise counsel and advice will be greatly missed.

Past Chief Ranger Murphy, suddenly called from our midst, is another example of a loyal and devoted Forester, whose zeal and interest, in the welfare of our organization, was always conspicuous.

The passing of Deputy High Chief Ranger McGeever was particularly sad, for she was in the springtime of young womanhood, of splendid natural ability and a safe leader among both the women and the men. Her self-sacrificing devotion to the Order brought on a recurrence of the illness which caused her untimely death.

A year ago no one thought that either of these well-beloved and worthy Foresters would be absent today. May the recollections which our memory of them inspires serve as a stimulus to us in deliberating for the welfare of our Order.

An examination of the detailed report of the High Secretary-Treasurer and a review of the work of the year shows the general condition of the Order to be better than it has been in any year of its existence.

MEMBERSHIP

From January 1, 1919, to January 1, 1920, the increase in membership was 4063. From January 1, 1920, to May 15, 1920, 2333 members have been initiated, making a total increase in sixteen months of 6396. During the last three months the increase in membership has been greater than that of any entire year with the exception of 1913 and 1919. The average age of this increase is 28 years.

When I assumed the position of High Chief Ranger, I urged upon the members of the Order the herculean task of attaining 50,000 membership before its holding of this annual session. While it is not yet clear that we have actually reached that figure, because the final figures are not yet obtainable, since there are many applications received and not yet forwarded to headquarters and initiations not yet held, I may safely say that today we are within a very close margin of the desired goal.

MEMBERSHIP DRIVES

The great success which we have achieved has been in a large measure made possible by one of the many lessons of the great war. That struggle taught the value of "Drives" and the application of the idea to the development of our Order has produced wonderful results.

The cheerful and hearty co-operation given to me by the members of the High Standing Committee, the Deputy High Chief Rangers and the various local committees directing the drives, has been a source of gratification to me, and I heartily and sincerely thank them for their support and encouragement.

FINANCES

The balance in the Mortuary Fund on January 1, 1920, was $46,904.59, against a balance of $13,083.97 on January 1, 1919, with payments of $692,117.84 from this fund during the year. From January 1, 1920, to May 15, 1920, $251,674.77 in mortuary assessments were received and $247,367.11 paid out in mortuary benefits, leaving a balance in the Mortuary Fund May 15 of $51,212.15.

On January 1, 1919, the balance in the Emergency Fund was $1,092,179.17, and on January 1, 1920, it was $1,106,070.42. From January 1, 1920, to May 15, 1920, $58,227.37 has been received, making a magnificent balance in this fund on that day of $1,164,297.79.

This fund is conservatively and safely invested in first mortgages of real estate, United States Government, State and Municipal Bonds under the direction of a careful, painstaking and earnest board of trustees.

DEATH RATE

The death rate has been normal during the year, 537 deaths having occurred. Fortunately we suffered no after effects of the terrible influenza epidemic of last year.

AUDITING COMMITTEES

Nothing is more important in the conduct of the affairs of a subordinate Court than a proper auditing of the accounts, and I recommend to chief rangers more careful attention to this matter. No one should be appointed to this committee except those who are willing to discharge their duties with care and exactness. A strict adherence to the provisions of the Constitution by this committee and a careful audit of the books in accordance therewith will make it impossible for any serious financial difficulties to arise.

MINIMUM AGE LIMIT

At the last annual session, a proposed constitutional amendment was under consideration which had for its purpose the lowering of the minimum age limit from 18 to 16 years. The convention voted to refer the matter to the High Standing Committee for study with instructions to report to this convention. In behalf of the High Standing Committee, I therefore report that the matter has been duly considered by the committee in the light of such information as could be obtained from organizations which admit members at the age of 16 years, and with the advice of the High Federal Examiner, the Committee has decided that it is inadvisable at the present time to lower the age of admission.

HIGH STANDING COMMITTEE

During the year the High Standing Committee has labored hard and faithfully in promoting the general welfare of the Order. The unusual demands upon the members of the committee, resulting from the membership "drives," have been cheerfully met. The spirit of co-operation among the members of the committee has aided the High Chief Ranger very materially in discharging the duties of his office. Large demands have been made upon the High Medical Examiner, Dr. Francis J. Hanley, in dealing with the great increase of membership, and he has maintained the same high standard of examination of all applicants which has been a source of strength to the Order in the past.

The High Secretary-Treasurer, Daniel H. Maguire, has decided to retire from office at this session. It is to be regretted that the condition of his health for the past six

months has made it necessary for him to make the decision, for the Order thereby loses the valuable services of one who for ten years has given the best that was in him in faithfully, honestly and diligently discharging the duties of that most important office. Its responsibilities have been borne by him in a most worthy manner. His constant endeavor has been to safeguard the Order in every way.

I extend to him my hearty thanks for his assistance and his many kindnesses to me as High Chief Ranger and as a member of the High Standing Committee for six years.

CHIEF CLERK

I wish to pay a special tribute to Sister Frances M. O'Donnell, the chief clerk in the office of the High Secretary-Treasurer. Her value as a model of efficiency was demonstrated years ago, but during the illness of the High Secretary-Treasurer and the influenza epidemic, she proved to be a "gem of purest ray serene." Her knowledge of the work of the office, her skill in the performance of her duties, her devotion to her work at all hours of the day and night, her kindness towards all and her rare patience and tact in bearing the burden of the work have made it possible for the machinery of the Order to work smoothly during these trying times.

The value of her assistance to your High Chief Ranger and the High Standing Committee cannot be measured in words, but in my humble way, I wish to inform you of the splendid work which she has been doing in her quiet, unassuming manner, and to express to her my deep personal appreciation of the services which she has rendered.

RECOMMENDATIONS

First. I recommend that the incoming High Standing Committee be authorized by this session to consider the advisability of securing a new location for the headquarters of the Order and to make such arrangement as may be deemed necessary in that regard. This recommendation is made because I believe the Order has outgrown its present quarters, which are inadequate, insanitary and afford very little safety for our records in case of fire.

Second. I recommend that this session establish the position of assistant to the High Secretary-Treasurer, who shall be appointed by and perform such duties in the office of the High Secretary-Treasurer as the High Standing Committee may determine.

Third. I recommend that such action be taken as will relieve the High Secretary-Treasurer from the necessity or obligation of making visits to subordinate Courts or functions held by them, to the end that all his energies may be conserved for the exacting daily work of his office.

Fourth. I recommend the establishment of a Speaker's bureau to enable the High Standing Committee to carry on more effectively the work of the Good of the Order.

Today, after six years of service on the High Standing Committee, I return to the ranks. I do so regretfully, for although service on the committee has entailed much sacrifice, the pleasant association with my fellow officers, the many friendships formed throughout the Order and the support and encouragement received at all times have been very gratifying to me, and have served to lighten the burdens of office.

It is a source of great satisfaction to have been a member of the High Standing Committee during the period of the Order's greatest progress, and above all, to have been High Chief Ranger in the most successful year in its history.

In retiring from the High Standing Committee, I desire again to return my thanks to my fellow members, my deputy high chief rangers, the officers of subordinate Courts and the clerical force at headquarters for their constant loyalty and support, and to all others whose assistance and goodwill have contributed to the success of my administration.

I deeply appreciate the great privilege and honor which was conferred upon me when I was elected to the position of High Chief Ranger, and I retire from office conscious of my debt to the organization. I pledge my loyalty to my successor in office and to the Order, and shall be ready at all times to render any assistance in my power to aid in the future growth and development of the largest and best fraternal order in the Commonwealth.

On motion of Brother Arthur Griffin of St. Alphonsus Court No. 21, it was voted that the report of the High Chief Ranger be accepted and recommendations referred to the Committee on State of the Order.

High Chief Ranger Thomas presiding.

On motion of Brother Timothy J. Cronin it was voted that the reports of the Finance Committee, Board of Trustees, and High Medical Examiner be accepted as printed.

On motion of Brother Thomas F. Kelley the recommendations of the Finance Committee be referred to the Committee on State of the Order.

Brother William J. Sullivan of SS. Peter and Paul Court No. 15 presented the following resolution:

"Whereas, it is one of the fundamental principles of constitutional government that the right to govern shall emanate from those who are governed, as set forth in the Constitution of the United States and that of our own glorious Commonwealth,

"Therefore be it Resolved: That we, the Representatives of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters, in Annual Session assembled at Holyoke, Massachusetts, representing fifty thousand people of this great Commonwealth, emphasize the necessity of urging that the Congress of the United States pass to enactment the Mason Bill recognizing the Irish Republic, that this nation shall rightfully take its place among the great nations of the earth."

On motion of the Corporation Counsel, Joseph A. Sheehan, it was voted that the resolutions be referred to the Committee on Petitions.

Brother Thomas F. Haley of St. Francis' Court No. 4 presented the following resolution:

"Whereas, the Almighty God, the Supreme Ruler of the Universe, in His Great Omnipotence has called to a higher and better life, our beloved brother, Thomas Sproules, to this we bow in humble submission to his Divine Decree.

"Be it Resolved: That in the removal of our late brother Thomas Sproules, a former High Vice-Chief Ranger, from our midst, we, the Representatives of the High Court of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters in Convention Assembled, May 26th, in the city of Holyoke, Massachusetts, realize the deep loss which our Order has met with in such a valued member. We pray that the Almighty God in His goodness and mercy will take him to His Heavenly Kingdom and that he may enjoy that peace which the world cannot give; and that eternal rest be granted to him."

On motion of Brother Peter Welsh of St. Francis Court No 4, it was voted that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Petitions.

Brother David F. Sheehan presented the following petition:

"I present the following for the consideration of the Committee on Petitions. The firemen of the entire State be admitted to membership in the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters, as in my opinion the hazard has been reduced by the better working conditions that the men now work under."

On motion of the Corporation Counsel, Hon. Joseph A. Sheehan, it was voted that the petition be referred to the Committee on Petitions.

On motion of Brother Frank A. Tracey of Iona Court No. 10, it was voted to appoint a Committee of five to draft resolutions on the death of Sister Della K. McGeever.

The High Chief Ranger, William H. Thomas, appointed the following Committee: Brother Frank A. Tracey, Iona Court No. 10; Brother Thomas Fitzpatrick, Leo Court No. 5; Sister Helen Garvey, St. Josephine Court No. 138; Sister Mary Costello, Notre Dame Court No. 107, and Sister Margaret Patterson, St. Clare Court No. 106.

COMMUNICATIONS

Letters of regret were read from Gov. Calvin Coolidge, Rt. Rev. Thomas B. Beaven, Bishop of Springfield, and Rev. Michael J. Scanlan of Boston.

On motion of Corporation Counsel Hon. Joseph A. Sheehan it was voted the communications be received and placed on file.

On motion of the Corporation Counsel, Hon. Joseph A. Sheehan, it was voted that the communication from Holyoke Council No. 90, Knights of Columbus, be received and accepted, and that the thanks of the Convention be extended to the Council for the kindness manifested in their letter.

NOMINATION OF OFFICERS

On motion of Brother William P. Hayes of Father Sherry Court, No. 251, it was voted that all nominating and seconding speeches be limited to five minutes each, and that in each instance where there is no contest for office, it be the sense of the Annual Session that no nomination be made, other than the presentation of the name of the candidate, and that no seconding speech be made.

For High Chief Ranger—Brother James F. Grady of SS. Peter and Paul Court No. 15, presented the name of Brother William J. Sullivan of SS. Peter and Paul Court No. 15. On motion of Brother James F. Scanlon of St. Philip Court No. 184, it was voted that nominations for the office of High Chief Ranger be closed.

For High Vice-Chief Ranger—Sister Mary A. McGovern of St. Clare Court No. 106 presented the name of Brother Thomas F. Haley of St. Francis Court No. 4. On motion of Sister Ellen F. Driscoll of St. Clare Court No. 106, it was voted that nominations for the office of High Vice-Chief Ranger be closed.

Past High Chief Ranger, Jeremiah G. Fennessey, addressed the Convention as follows:

Thirty-two years ago this coming fall, as High Chief Ranger of the association it was my pleasure and privilege to make a visit to the city by the Merrimac, Haverhill. In the fall of this year, in '88, Merrimac Court was formed. Among the men instituted into the Organization at that time was the man who since became my dear personal friend. The friendship that grew up between us only he and I can tell. I was a frequent guest at his home; I have been with him in his trials and troubles; I have stood by his sickbed and came from there only last week to come to this Convention at his request to bring you his love and his regard and I ask for him from your heart and soul your prayers for that splendid type of mankind, the Catholic gentleman, Daniel H. Maguire. And I ask that in the providence of God's goodness he may be restored to that health of which at one time he was such a worthy exponent. And at his request I wish to state that he is not a candidate for the office of High Secretary-Treasurer. He also wishes me to convey to the Delegates his love and his esteem and to say that no matter what befalls him, his hopes and prayers and love will go forth to the organization that he has worked for and loved, and that it will prosper in the way of righteousness and justice and good work.

For High Secretary-Treasurer—Brother James S. Cannou of Middlesex Court No. 60 presented the name of Brother Joseph T. Brennan of Americus Court No. 34, seconded by Sister Susan B. Mahoney of St. Gertrude Court No. 141, Sister Alice Higgins of St. Monica Court No. 78, and Brother Cornelius Duggan of Neponset Court No. 180. Brother Peter A. Welsh of St. Francis Court No. 4 presented the name of Brother Joseph J. Forrester of Americus Court No. 34, seconded by Brother Edmund L. Dolan of Father McGoldrick Court No. 254, and Brother John J. Geoghegau of Americus Court No. 34.

At this time the business of the Convention was suspended while the High Conductors escorted Hon. John F. Cronin, Mayor of Holyoke and Rev. D. J. Tully of Springfield to the platform.

The High Chief Ranger presented Hon. John F. Crouin, Mayor of Holyoke, who addressed the Convention as follows:

Let me first assure you that I am representing the citizens of the City of Holyoke who deeply appreciate the fact that you have selected Holyoke as the place for your Convention. We feel that you have come to the best city in the Commonwealth. It is not a wealthy city, but we feel that we have a most wonderful community here. The spirit which is always so evident is the spirit which you have brought to this country, or your ancestors, a spirit which is always alive in the city of Holyoke. I am proud to welcome such an organization here because I feel it tends to uplift and strengthen our faith. And during the trying times we are going through we have got to do everything to streugthen our faith, for without it I shudder to think what might happeu to this country, aud to all Catholic organizations is the credit that we are able to keep the country under some kind of control.

During your visit here, I hope that you are going to enjoy the hospitality of the city of Holyoke aud I want to assure you that if there is anything I can do to assist in making your stay a pleasant one I am at your service. There are many places of interest here; we are very proud of Mt. Tom, and of the fact that we own a municipal gas aud electric department, the most successful in the couutry. We have our own water works here and the cheapest water rates in the state, or in the country, a railroad owned by the city and leased to the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company. We are not wealthy, but we are progressive, a good, ordinary, working city. If any of the delegates care to visit any of our paper mills, or our municipal plants, I will arrange it if you will call on me. I would suggest that you all go up on Mt. Tom and view the beautiful country, and I hope that when you leave Holyoke you will carry with you a memory of your visit, that you will always feel that you have been to one city which will appreciate your visit, who are predominantly of your kind, and the majority of us in entire sympathy with your movement. I want to extend to you a most hearty greeting and welcome to the city and assure you that I am voicing the feeling of practically all the people of Holyoke that we are glad to receive you.

The High Chief Ranger introduced the Rev. D. J. Tully, who made the following address:

I wish to thank the M. C. O. F. for the splendid work they have done during the past year in cooperating with the Diocesan Charitable Bureau in the matter of the O'Sullivan-Lawlor Fund, and Father Scanlan unites with me.

You do not realize the great help that you are giving him and me in your contributions to this Fund. You are pioneers in the work, the fact that you are standing behind us and that we feel that every Forester is interested is a great, great encouragement. We are contesting—friendly, of course—with the different charitable orgauizations of the state and unless we have the Catholic people of the state behind us we shall not be able to do the work necessary. For instance, they are launching a drive for $275,000.00, in one organization in this state, just for one year. And we have to do on our limited income all the work they will do for $275,000.00, a year. So you realize our task is great, and what is true here, is true in Boston. We have a tremendous task in trying to look after the charitable work and even a word said by you is a great, great help, because we must get the message across and have cooperation. In taking up the work of the care of delinquent children you are doing a great work. We have been able to get in touch with every Juvenile Court in this district and there is no child coming into the court today who has no one to look out for it. Many times these children are delinquent because the parents do uot care for them. Most of the cases are neglect. That is one reason why I am so interested in Day Nurseries. I have started two and will do more if they keep on giving me money. I want you to feel that when you are contributing to this fund you are doing one of the greatest charities in the Catholic Church because you are not only taking care of the child when he comes into the court, but enabling us to do preventive work. It is certainly needed in the case of the delinquent child, for in nearly every case the reason

is the home. The parents must work, or there is sickness, and if we can take care of the home and cooperate with the parents we will be able to do a great deal. I am very, very thankful to the Courts of the Springfield Diocese for the splendid work they have done in the past. I was much encouraged recently on a visit to a Court in Springfield, one of the banner ones, when they voluntarily donated $100.00 to the Delinquent Fund. I am announcing this so they won't take it back. I thank you very much, all of you, because all of you took this work up at one of your conventions and I am very glad to see that while your great work is that of fraternity you do not forget that there is another fraternity of looking after our less fortunate brethren. Thank you.

Father Tully announced that the hospitality of St. Agnes Guild was open to the Foresters and that during the afternoon a lunch would be served there. He said he would also add his own invitation as he happened to be the Treasurer, and that he wanted them to see the best Day Nursery in Massachusetts, that he was in a position to know as he had seen the others.

At the conclusion of Father Tully's address the business of the Convention was resumed.

On motion by James W. Scanlon of St. Philip Court No. 184, it was voted that the nominations for the office of High Secretary-Treasurer close.

For High Senior Conductor—Brother John F. Harrigan of McCafferty Court No. 100 presented the name of Brother James E. O'Leary of Worcester Court No. 59. On motion of Brother John Coyle of Leo Court No. 5, it was voted that the nominations for the office of High Senior Conductor be closed.

For High Junior Conductor—Brother Thomas Lovett of McDermott Court, No. 186, presented the name of Brother John J. Collins of John J. Leonard Court No. 238. On motion of Brother John W. Brown of Americus Court No. 34, it was voted that the nominations for the office of High Junior Conductor be closed.

For High Inside Sentinel—Brother James J. Mockler of Bunker Hill Court No. 126 presented the name of Dr. Helen 1. Doherty of St. Clare Court No. 106. On motion of Sister Ellen Driscoll of St. Clare Court No. 106, it was voted that nominations for the office of High Inside Sentinel close.

For High Outside Sentinel—Brother Patrick J. Carr of Bunker Hill Court No. 126 presented the name of Brother Patrick J. McArdle of Owen A. Galvin Court No. 173, seconded by Brother Frank A. Tracey of Iona Court No. 10, and Brother Hugh J. Maraghy of Cheverus Court No. 6. Brother David F. Roche of Merrimac Court No. 72 presented the name of Brother John H. O'Hara of Essex Court No. 16, seconded by Sister Katherine McManus of St. Teresa Court No. 109. Brother P. Sarsfield Cunniffe of Middlesex Court No. 69 presented the name of Brother Francis McKinney of St. Columbkille Court No. 65, seconded by Brother John J. Gleason of Gallagher Court No. 64. Brother James J. Mockler of Bunker Hill Court No. 126 presented the name of Brother William F. Riley of Constantine Court No. 49, seconded by Sister Catherine Foley of St. Loretta Court No. 124, and Brother John J. Sheehan of Cathedral Court No. 1.

On motion of Brother Edward H. Powers of Middlesex Court No. 60, it was voted that the nominations for the office of High Outside Sentinel close.

For High Medical Examiner—Capt. Jeremiah C. Fennessey of St. James Court No. 54 presented the name of Dr. Francis J. Hanley of Union Court No. 89. On motion of Brother James W. Scanlon of St. Philip Court No. 184, it was voted that nominations for the High Medical Examiner close.

For High Chaplain—Brother Michael J. Shannon of Williams Court No. 19 presented the name of Rev. James H. O'Neil, LL.D. On motion of James W. Scanlon of St. Philip Court No. 184 it was voted that nominations for High Court Chaplain close.

For Corporation Counsel—Brother James J. Lanigan of Cathedral Court No. 1 presented the name of Hon. Joseph A. Sheehan of Cathedral Court No. 1. On motion of Sister Ellen A. Driscoll of St. Clare Court No. 106, it was voted that nominations for Corporation Counsel close.

For member of the Finance Committee for three years—Hon. Joseph A. Sheehan, Corporation Counsel, presented the name of Sister Annie F. Sullivan of St. Clare Court No. 106. On motion of John W. Brown of Americus Court No. 34 it was voted that nominations for the office of Finance Committee close.

For member of the Finance Committee for one year (unexpired term)—Brother Michael J. Dullea of St. Augustine Court No. 46 presented the name of Sister Mary Costello of Notre Dame Court No. 107, seconded by Brother Michael J. Shannon of Williams Court No. 19, Sister Bridget Moynihan of Alma Mater Court No. 114, and Sister Mary O'Brien of Notre Dame Court No. 107. Brother James J. Byrne of St. Peter Court No. 18, presented the name of Brother James A. Desmond of Columbia Court No. 95, seconded by Sister Anna W. Kelley of Blessed Sacrament Court No. 187, and Brother Daniel J. Kinally of SS. Peter and Paul Court No. 15. On motion of Brother James J. Mockler of Bunker Hill Court No. 126 it was voted that nominations for the office of Finance Committee for one year close.

For Trustee, for three years—Brother James J. Mockler of Bunker Hill Court No. 126 presented the name of John J. Lynch of Bunker Hill Court No. 126. On motion of Sister Theresa Sheerin of Perpetual Help Court No. 151 it was voted that nominations close for the office of Trustee for three years.

The High Chief Ranger announced that a recess would be taken until 2.30 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The afternoon session was called to order at 2.55 o'clock by High Chief Ranger William H. Thomas.

Brother James J. Lanigan of Cathedral Court No. 1, Chairman of the Committee on Credentials reported the Convention was entitled to 931 delegates representing 251 Courts and that there were 860 delegates present representing 235 Courts.

It was voted that the report of the Committee on Credentials be accepted.

The Election of Officers being the next order of business the Committee to Receive and Count Ballots assumed their Stations. It was voted that the ballots cast for the office of High Outside Sentinel be counted first and the findings reported back. The polls were declared opened. After all had voted the polls were declared closed.

At this time the order of business was suspended and the High Chief Ranger introduced Mayor Peter F. Sullivan of Worcester.

ADDRESS OF MAYOR PETER F. SULLIVAN OF WORCESTER, MASS.

I assure you I am delighted with this reception to me. I am as glad to see you as you are to see me. I have come 75 miles to be at this Convention because you are the M. C. O. F. in Convention, the principal reason. Another reason just as great, because my fellow-townsman, fellow-citizen, kind father and able worker for this organiation, Jim O'Leary, asked me to come here. You will pardon me for not giving him his official title, but politicians cannot always have all titles in all organizations, because they belong to so many they do not have time to attend to one. I believe I am a member of the organization at the present time. The duties of a mayor are many; I cancelled five engagements to be here. The Mayor of the City

of Holyoke, my good friend John Cronin, served in the Senate with me last year in Boston. He, thank God, is mayor of your fine city here of Holyoke, and I am glad to come here and breathe the atmosphere of this city over which John J. Cronin is chief executive. I find myself at this moment pretty near in the position of the old mammy in the South whose husband died from very peculiar circumstances. They called in the coroner and when he came to the door she presented herself. He said to her, "I have come to view the remains." And she said, "All right, Boss, dis are de remains." You will excuse me this afternoon if I will be brief in coming up from Worcester and being given the privilege of addressing you. I read once these lines:

"Laugh and the world laughs with you,
Weep and you weep alone.
When all the world is young, dear friends,
And we are light and gay,
And our praises sung on every tongue
And our cohorts line the way.

When all the world is old
And our spare locks are gray
No more our praises will be told,
No cohorts line the way."

And why do I say these lines this afternoon? Because of your wonderful Order and what you do when death comes to the home. Your organization I am told has paid for the last year a million dollars in death claims in this state and not a single one brought into Court. In Worcester with nearly a quarter of a million population I know that your organization has paid in our city nearly a quarter of a million dollars to the families of deceased members. What a wonderful organization that is, because when death comes we love those who come with a helping hand and a smile to greet us and a material way that pays the bills and with something left perhaps to place in the bank and start over anew when the breadwinner of the family is gone to his last resting-place. You have, I am told, over 800 delegates here and you represent 50,000 families in this Commonwealth. What a wonderful organization this is. We do not need any insurance companies when we have this organization. As a member of the Senate last year it was my privilege to have to say a word for legislation presented to the State along the line of insurance that I thought was fair to the common people in this Commonwealth.

You have your duties before you this afternoon and I do not know as I ought to speak at any greater length. It is warm in here and I know that you have many things yet to do, but as Mayor of the City of Worcester, I have been called upon to act on a budget of over $25,000 for Americanization purposes, and in the schools there I am called upon to pass out plums to men from foreign climes, to men who are in need, and the money is being spent among these people. I have yet to see one of those whom I am looking into this afternoon, that is to say of our race, that no money is being spent on them for Americanization because we are taught it in our Church from the cradle to the grave. And when manhood comes and the flag is threatened our boys of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters have done their great share in the great World War, and no money was needed in my city, or your city, for Americanization for them because we are Americans all the time. So much for that, my friends. Now that the reconstruction period is with us and the days have gone by when the bands were sent out to draft men to kill other men, now that we are in a period where we are coming back again to earth and coming back to God, now is the time we need your M. C. O. F. and your Church, to teach and to preach that Golden Rule of "Do unto others . . ." And I believe that is the foundation of your organization.

In closing I wish you Godspeed in your noble mission and good luck in all your undertakings. And may I say to you also that as we have in our city your Past High Exalted Ranger, my good friend John Harrigan, and we have my good friend and worker for this organization in the highways and byways of my city—because I see him day in and day out holding up some good fellows on the corner and I know he is not preaching politics, or business to him, but Forestry—the city of James O'Leary and the city of the man who is speaking to you, Mayor Sullivan. Come to our city and come soon. I thank you.

At the conclusion of the address, on motion of High Vice-Chief Ranger Hon. William J. Sullivan, seconded by Past High Chief Ranger Fennessey, a rising vote of thanks was given Mayor Sullivan.

Brother P. Sarsfield Cunniffe of Middlesex Court No. 60 reported for the Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

On motion of Hon. Joseph A. Sheehan, Corporation Counsel, it was voted that the report of the Committee be received and the amendments taken up and acted upon separately.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON AMENDMENTS

1. Amend Article II, Section 2, High Court Constitution, Page 7, by striking out the last sentence in said section, so that the section as amended shall read:

"Article II, Section 2. Each Subordinate Court shall be entitled to elect one Past Chief Ranger as Representative to and Member of the High Court and one Past Chief Ranger as Alternate, and one additional Past Chief Ranger as Representative and one as Alternate for every fifty members, or majority fractional part thereof, in excess of the first fifty. Alternate shall act only in the absence or inability of the regular Representative. A Chief Ranger may be elected a Representative or Alternate provided he shall have held the office of Chief Ranger one full term, and shall be a Past Chief Ranger at the time of his acting as such Representative or Alternate. A Court not having a sufficent number of Past Chief Rangers for its full representation, may be represented by other members elected for that purpose. Representatives to and members of the High Court shall serve one year."

Presented by St. Francis Court No. 4.

Recommended for adoption.

Brother James J. Lanigan, of Cathedral Court No. 1, moved the adoption of the report of the Committee, which motion was not carried.

2. Amend Article IV, Section 1, Subordinate Court Constitution, page 40, by striking out the word "December" in the eighth line, and inserting in place thereof, the word "September" so that the Section as amended shall read:

"Article IV, Section 1. The elective officers of a Subordinate Court shall be a Chief Ranger, Vice-Chief Ranger, Recording Secretary, Financial Secretary, Treasurer, Senior Conductor, Junior Conductor, Inside Sentinel, Outside Sentinel, and three Trustees. They shall be elected annually at the last regular meeting in September, at which time there shall be elected also the prescribed number of Representatives and Alternates, as provided in Article II, Section 2, High Court Constitution."

Presented by Annie McGovern, Alma Mater Court No. 114.

Recommended for adoption.

On motion of Louis P. Pfau of Holy Trinity Court No. 51, it was voted that the report of the Committee and its recommendation be accepted and adopted.

3. Amend Article IV, Section 2, Subordinate Court Constitution, page 40, by striking out the word "January" in the last line, and inserting in place thereof, the word "October," so that the section as amended shall read:

"Article IV, Section 2. All elections shall be by ballot and a majority of the votes cast shall be necessary for election, except for Representatives and Alternates. All candidates for office shall be members in good financial standing. Vacancies in the above offices shall be filled for the remainder of the term by election at a regular meeting. The installation of officers shall take place annually at the regular meeting in October."

Presented by Annie McGovern, Alma Mater Court No. 114.

Recommended for adoption.

On motion of Brother Michael E. Milan, of Brockton Court No. 82, it was voted that the report of the Committee and its recommendations be accepted and adopted.

4. Amend Article VII, Section 10, High Court Constitution, page 17, by adding at the end thereof: "And shall

receive such compensation for his services as may be determined by the High Court In Annual Session," so that the Article as amended shall read:

"Article VII, Section 10. The High Medical Examiner shall examine all Medical Examiners as to their fitness and skill to perform the duties of the office of Medical Examiner, and report thereon to the High Standing Committee. He shall investigate and pass upon all applications for membership and perform such other professional duties as the General Constitution, the High Court or the High Standing Committee may require, and shall receive such compensation for his services as may be determined hy the High Court in Annual Session."

Presented by P. W. Moriarty, St. Jerome Court No. 113.

Recommended for adoption.

Brother Louis P. Pfau, of Holy Trinity Court No. 51, moved the adoption of the report of the Committee and the motion was not carried, after being discussed by Brother Peter Duffy of Charles River Court No. 55.

5. Amend Article VIII, Section 2, High Court Constitution, page 18, lines 10 and 11, by striking out the words "One Dollar and Seventy-five Cents," and inserting in place thereof the words "Two Dollars," so that the Article as amended shall read:

"Article VIII, Section 2. The Medical Examiner shall examine and pass upon the physical condition of applicants for admission to the Courts of the District over which he is appointed, and in his examination he shall strictly adhere to the rules of examination contained in the application blank, and when in doubt as to the desirability of the risk, he shall reject the applicant. He shall receive the sum of Two Dollars for each medical examination of an applicant."

Presented by P. W. Moriarty, St. Jerome Court No. 113.

Recommended for adoption.

Brother Peter Duffy of Charles River Court No. 55 moved the adoption of the report of the Committee and the motion was not carried, after being discussed by Dr. Francis J. Hanley of Union Court No. 89, Brother Thomas F. Kenny of St. Malachi Court No. 81, Brother Peter Duffy of Charles River Court No. 55, and Brother Michael E. Milan of Brockton Court No. 82.

6. Amend Article VIII, Section 1, Subordinate Court Constitution, page 50, by eliminating the first paragraph thereof and inserting in place thereof the following, so that the first paragraph of the first section as amended shall read:

"Article VIII, Section 1. The Initiation Fee for membership in Subordinate Courts shall be three dollars, of which sum one dollar shall be payable at initiation, and two dollars shall be sent to the district Medical Examiner for the examination of the applicant, and in all cases it shall be transmitted with the application."

Presented by P. W. Moriarty, St. Jerome Court No. 113.

Recommended for adoption.

Chairman Cunniffe explained:—These amendments are not propositions submitted to you by the Constitutional Amendment Committee. They are amendments that are submitted to this Committee and have heen considered by them so that we have no time to father any of these amendments. They do attempt to give you their best judgment on the merits of these questions. I have no desire to change your wishes, but I do think this one word ought to be said, that at some time in the very near future the safety, the future, the permanency of this organization depends upon not the volume of applications you receive, but on the character of the medical inspection. That is the cornerstone. And you should consider well before you consider any legislation that would in any way reduce the standard and thereby reduce the standard of our membership. Having refused to accept the two preceding amendments, this one now is of no purpose, as you have refused the others. I think your actlon on this should be rejectlon in view of your action on the other two.

Brother Patrick Gorman of Fr. O'Connor Court No. 202 moved the adoption of the report of the Committee, and the motion was not carried.

7. Amend Article VIII, Section 1, Hlgh Court Constitution, so that the Artlcle as amended shall read:

"Article VIII, Section 1. There shall be established and controlled by the High Court a fund to he known as the Mortuary Fund, which shall he maintained for the purpose of paying to the widows, husbands, children, relatives or dependents of deceased members of the Order the sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000). This amount shall be payahle upon the death of any member in good financial standing to the heneficiary or beneficiaries designated hy the member or to any other person or persons legally entitled to receive it. In order to insure the payment thereof the members of the Order shall pay assessments to the Mortuary Fund according as such assessments may be levied by the High Standing Committee. Each memher shall pay such assessments at a rate which shall he fixed according to age at initiation, and shall continue to be the same until the member shall have paid into the Order for thirty years, at the end of which time the High Standing Committee shall give him or her a paid up certificate for the rest of his or her life, and said member shall be entitled to all the benefits of the Order, and shall he exempt from paying according to the following table, which is the rate payahle hy members who have not paid into the Order thirty years:

From 18 to 25 years of age	$ .90
From 25 to 30 years of age	1.00
From 30 to 35 years of age	1.10
From 35 to 40 years of age	1.20
From 40 to 45 years of age	1.30

Mortuary claims for members who have paid into the Order for thirty years shall be paid from the Mortuary Fund, Emergency Fund, or any other source which the High Standing Committee may determine."

Presented by John F. McKernan, Columbia Court No. 95.

Recommended for rejection.

On motion of Brother William McDonough of South Boston Court No. 256, after being discussed by Dr. Timothy C. Downes of St. Lawrence Court No. 61, it was voted that the report of the Committee and its recommendations for rejection he adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON APPEALS

Brother Charles S. O'Connor, St. Augustine Court No. 46, Chairman of the Committee on Appeals, for the Committee reported as follows:

Your Committee on Appeals has voted to recommend for adoption the petition as presented by Brother David F. Sheehan of St. Michael Court No. 70, in re-admitting firemen to the Order. On motion by Brother Peter Welsh of St. Francis Court No. 4, duly seconded, after being discussed by Brother Charles S. O'Connor of St. Augustine Court No. 46, High Medical Examiner Francis J. Hanley of Union Court No. 89, and Brother David F. Sheehan of St. Michael Court No. 70, it was voted that the report of the Committee be accepted and adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON STATE OF THE ORDER

Dr. George A. Clark of Shields Court No. 63, for the Committee on State of the Order reported as follows:

Recommendation No. 1.—On motion of Brother Joseph A. Coyle of Leo Court No. 5, seconded by Brother Michael J. Shannon of Williams Court No. 19, it was voted that the recommendation be referred to the next Convention.

At this time the business of the Convention was suspended to hear the report of the Ballot Committee. Brother Richard Lyons of Middlesex Court No. 60, Chairman of the Committee

to Receive, Sort and Count Ballots reported on vote for High Outside Sentinel, as follows:

Whole number of votes cast.....848
Brother Patrick J. McArdle of Owen A. Calvin Court No. 173 191
Brother Francis B. McKinney of St. Columbkille Court No. 65 185
Brother John F. O'Hara of Essex Court No. 16.....332
Brother William F. Riley of Constantine Court No. 49 131
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Brother William F. Riley of Constantine Court No. 49, withdrew from the contest.

There being no choice, a second ballot was taken.

The business of the Convention being resumed, Dr. Clarke continued with the report of the Committee on State of the Order:

The second recommendation in regard to the Assistant High Secretary-Treasurer was taken up, the Committee recommending adoption. Hon. Joseph A. Sheehan, the Corporation Counsel, explaining the object of the recommendation, hoped that the High Standing Committee incoming would designate Miss O'Donnell as the assistant. After being discussed by Brother Timothy F. Daley of Stoughton Court No. 69, on motion of Brother Frank A. Tracey of Iona Court No. 10, it was voted that the report of the Committee be accepted and the recommendation adopted. On motion of Past High Chief Ranger, Joseph T. Brennan, duly seconded, it was voted that the person to occupy the position of Assistant High Secretary-Treasurer be Sister Frances M. O'Donnell, and that the report include it.

Recommendation No. 3—The Committee reported against the adoption of this recommendation, and on motion of Frank J. Long of St. Francis Court No. 4, duly seconded, it was voted that the recommendation of the Committee be rejected. On motion of High Vice-Chief Ranger William J. Sullivan, duly seconded, it was voted that the recommendation of the High Chief Ranger be adopted.

Recommendation No. 4—The Committee voted to refer back to the High Standing Committee. On motion of Brother Edward McDermott of St. Lawrence Court No. 61, duly seconded, it was voted that the report of High Chief Ranger be accepted and the Committee's recommendation rejected. It was then voted that the recommendation of the High Chief Ranger on this subject be adopted.

COMMITTEE ON PETITIONS

Sister Annie M. C. King of St. Veronica Court No. 110, for the Committee on Resolutions reported as follows:

Your Committee on Resolutions has voted to recommend for adoption the resolution presented by Brother William J. Sullivan of SS. Peter and Paul Court No. 15. Brother Matthew Cummings of Neponset Court No. 180 in speaking on the resolution said: "I would respectfully ask that this resolution be sent to Washington, by the incoming High Chief Ranger, in the form of a telegram, tonight; saying it is signed by one thousand delegates at this Convention, representing fifty thousand families in Massachusetts."

Hon. William J. Sullivan of SS. Peter and Paul Court No. 15 said: "I know this is a subject that is dear to the heart of every delegate in this Convention. I know we have been working hard for the past two years to emphasize the spirit of democracy as we know it. I know it is the desire of every member that a telegram representing this resolution should be sent to the two senators and sixteen congressmen representing this Commonwealth saying one thousand delegates meeting here in Convention are sending it in opposition to the telegram that went from Harvard College in regard to "our queen," as we know no queen but the queen of our own households. In view of the fact that we have recognized the President of the Irish Republic a year ago in this Convention, we know that it is the wish and desire of everyone of us that this telegram be sent forthwith."

On motion, duly seconded, the report of the Committee was accepted and its recommendation adopted.

The Committee recommended for adoption the resolutions presented by Brother Thomas F. Haley of St. Francis Court No. 4. On motion by Brother Thomas F. Tremble of Americus Court No. 34, duly seconded, it was voted that the report of the Committee be accepted and its recommendation adopted.

Thomas Sproules, Past H. U. C. R.

"Whereas, the Almighty God, the Supreme Ruler of the Universe, in His Great Omnipotence has called to a higher and better life, our beloved brother, Thomas Sproules, to this we bow in humble submission to His Divine Decree.

"Be it Resolved: That in the removal of our late brother Thomas Sproules, a former High Vice-Chief Ranger, from our midst, we, the Representatives of the High Court of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters in Convention Assembled, May 26th, in the city of Holyoke, Massachusetts, realize the deep loss which our Order has met in such a valued member. We pray that the Almighty God in His goodness and mercy will take him to His Heavenly Kingdom and that he may enjoy that peace which the world cannot give; and that eternal rest be granted to him."

Past High Chief Ranger Jeremiah G. Fennessey addressed the Convention as follows:

During the past year the angel of death entered our midst and took three brilliant minds out of our organization, in consequence of which I arise to make a motion. They were devoted and loyal members of the Order. Two of them, I knew as well as if they were my own brothers. Thirty-six years ago, I met the late Past High Chief Ranger, Daniel A. Cronin, in the city of Boston. We were both in the same room in the Court House of Suffolk County for nine years. We met daily for a period of nearly thirty-six years. I knew his wishes, his ambitions and his desires. He was a loyal friend, a wise counsellor, a good, honest presiding officer, a devoted father, a loyal citizen, a splendid type of soldier from '61 to '65, typical of that race of men who know no fear and who bring to this land the true Irishman who makes the real American. He was my friend and I was his and though, at times, we differed in matters of policy, no difficulty ever came between us to weaken the brotherhood of love which commenced in 1884. And I may say, too, that if, in the early days I was able to come to these conventions, it was due, in a great measure, to the fact that there stood in my place in the office my friend to do my work, my friend then, my friend in later years even after we separated in our official duties. There was no purer, no better, no higher type of man, no more loyal citizen, no better father or husband than the man who loved you all, as Daniel A. Cronin did.

Past High Chief Ranger Dennis E. Murphy I met years ago in Brockton, and I remember 14 years ago last January he called upon me and sought my advice about his being a candidate for High Chief Ranger. I said, "Brother Murphy, I think you ought not to take it because of the great personal sacrifices you will be obliged to make, but if you want it, I am with you and I will support you." He said he wanted it. He became a candidate and the convention elected him. He was deeply interested in the welfare of the Order; he made the necessary sacrifices and rendered valuable and efficient service in the discharge of his duties. Ten days before his death he was in Boston and called upon me. We had a pleasant chat and he was feeling in excellent condition. Then came the sudden announcement of his death in the hospital, and the loss to the Order of one of its strong and loyal champions.

Past High Outside Sentinel George Dorman. You in Worcester and the western part of the State know him well. Active, modest and sincere, with deep interest in the organization and its progress. These men have done their duty and done it well and all that we can do is to pay a simple tribute in the form of a resolution, so that other men and women may be reminded of their work and may be inspired to follow in their footsteps. Well may we say "Well done, good and faithful servants." The greater glory is theirs. They lived good lives. They died the deaths of good men and we earnestly pray that God has taken them to His heavenly kingdom. I move that a committee of four be appointed to draft suitable resolutions upon the death of these three brothers.

On motion of Past High Chief Ranger Fennessey, duly seconded, it was voted that a committee of four be appointed to draft resolutions, and the High Chief Ranger appointed Past High Chief Ranger Jeremiah G. Fennessey, Hon. Joseph A. Sheehan, corporation counsel, Past High Vice-Chief Ranger P. Sarsfield Cunniffe and Hon. William P. Hayes.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE TO RECEIVE, SORT AND COUNT BALLOTS

Brother Richard Lyons of Middlesex Court No. 60, Chairman of the Committee to Receive, Sort and Count Ballots reported as follows:

Whole number of votes cast 848

For High Chief Ranger, Brother William J. Sullivan of SS. Peter and Paul Court No. 15 846

For High Vice-Chief Ranger, Brother Thomas F. Haley of St. Francis Court No. 4 844

For High Secretary-Treasurer, Brother Joseph J. Forrester of Americus Court No. 34 449
Brother Joseph T. Brennan of Americus Court No. 34 395

For High Senior Conductor, Brother James E. O'Leary of Worcester Court No. 59 844

For High Junior Conductor, Brother John J. Collins of John J. Leonard Court No. 238 844

For High Inside Sentinel, Dr. Helen I. Doherty of St. Clare Court No. 106 844

For High Outside Sentinel, Brother John O'Hara of Essex Court No. 16 399
Brother Patrick J. McArdle of Owen A. Galvin Court No. 173 196
Brother Francis B. McKinney of St. Columbkille Court No. 65 140

For High Medical Examiner, Dr. Francis J. Hanley of Union Court No. 89 844

For High Chaplain, Rev. James H. O'Neil, LL.D., of Leo Court No. 5 844

For Corporation Counsel, Hon. Joseph A. Sheehan, Cathedral Court No. 1 844

For Finance Committee, three years, Sister Annie F. Sullivan of St. Clare Court No. 106 844

For Finance Committee, one year, Brother James A. Desmond of Columbia Court No. 95 422
Sister Mary Costello of Notre Dame Court No. 107 401

For Trustee, three years, Brother John J. Lynch of Bunker Hill Court No. 126 844

On motion of Past High Chief Ranger Joseph T. Brennan it was voted that the election of Brother Joseph J. Forrester as High Secretary-Treasurer be made unanimous.

On motion of Brothers Patrick J. McArdle and Francis B. McKinney, it was voted that the election of Brother John H. O'Hara as High Outside Sentinel be made unanimous.

On a motion of Sister Mary Costello it was voted that the election of Brother James A. Desmond for the one-year unexpired term on the Finance Committee be made unanimous.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS ON THE DEATH OF SISTER DELLA K. McGEEVER

Brother Frank A. Tracey of Iona Court No. 10, Chairman of the Committee, reported as follows:

In Memoriam

Della K. McGeever

Whereas, the Almighty in His wisdom and love has called our beloved Sister Della K. McGeever to a higher and better life, we bow with humble submission to His Divine decree.

Her many commendable qualities of mind and heart, her years of steadfast loyalty to the principles of our Order, as a member and Officer of St. Josephine Court and also as a Representative of the High Court, commend her memory to every true Forester throughout the Commonwealth.

Called to God in the prime of vigorous womanhood, the loss to her family is irreparable, to her friends deep and sincere, and to the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters a loss which inevitably arises when the voice of one who has worthily stood high in its councils is stilled by the Angel of Death.

In recording an expression of the regret we feel at what seems to our dim eyes an untimely death, we must not overlook the eternal fact that the summons has been from God, who watches over the destiny of us all, and that the passing of our departed Sister must be accepted as the all-wise manifestation of the will of our Creator.

Therefore, be it Resolved, By the High Court of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters through its Representatives in Annual Session, that we express our appreciation of the deep loss which our Order has sustained by the death of a valued member. We pray that God in His Goodness and mercy will take her to His Heavenly Kingdom and that she may enjoy that peace which the world cannot give and that eternal rest may be granted to her.

On motion of Brother William P. Hayes of Fr. Sherry Court No. 251, it was voted that the resolutions be adopted as read.

On motion of High Senior Conductor Thomas F. Haley, it was voted that we extend to the Courts of the City of Holyoke, our sincere thanks for the reception tendered the Delegates.

A rising vote of thanks was given.

On motion of Corporation Counsel Hon. Joseph A. Sheehan it was voted that when the Convention adjourned it adjourn to meet at Headquarters Tuesday, June 1, at 8.00 o'clock.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

To the Representatives of the Forty-first Annual Convention, Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters:

Complying with the requirements of the Constitution, the Finance Committee make the following report for the year ending December 31, 1919:

MORTUARY FUND

Balance cash on hand, January 1, 1919	$13,083 97
Received for assessments during the year	592,296 22
Transferred from Emergency Fund	132,984 29
Interest on bank balances	657 95
Total receipts with balance	$739,022 43
Paid to beneficiaries during the year	692,117 84
Balance cash on hand, December 31, 1919	$46,904 59

EMERGENCY FUND

Receipts for the year	$93,552 00
Paid to Trustees	93,552 00

GENERAL FUND

Balance cash on hand, January 1, 1919		$27,403 34
Receipts for the year		40,986 11
Interest on bank balances		819 51
Total receipts with balance		$69,208 96
Expenditures for the year as per vouchers	$37,463 52	
Transferred to Emergency Fund	10,000 00	
		47,463 52
Balance cash on hand, December 31, 1919		$21,745 44

The Committee made a thorough examination of the books of the High Secretary-Treasurer and verified the receipts, also the expenditures, from the various funds as shown by vouchers, and bills on file. Statements received from the several banks showing the balances credited to the different funds were compared with check book balances and found correct. The cash in office of the High Secretary-Treasurer was counted and also found correct.

TRUSTEES' REPORT

The Committee audited the books of the Trustees to December 31, 1919, and report as follows:

Balance Emergency Fund, January 1, 1919	$1,092,179 17
Received from High Secretary-Treasurer	93,552 00
Net income from Investments	43,066 02
Interest on bank balances	257 52
Transferred from General Fund	10,000 00
Total	$1,239,054 71
Transferred to Mortuary Fund	132,984 29
Total Emergency Fund, December 31, 1919	$1,106,070 42

INVESTMENTS

Bonds	$847,091 37
Mortgages on Real Estate	247,632 50
Deposits in banks	11,346 55
Total	$1,106,070 42

Your Committee personally examined the bonds and mortgages now deposited in the private box of the Order at the Security Safe Deposit and Trust Company vaults, and found them correct as represented by the books of the Trustees. The mortgages on Real Estate are fully covered by insurance.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Committee in connection with this report respectfully recommend the following—

1. That a per capita assessment of seventy-five (75) cents be levied for the year 1920-21.

2. That the salary of the High Secretary-Treasurer be Thirty-six hundred (3,600) Dollars for the year 1920-21.

3. That the High Secretary-Treasurer be allowed Six Thousand five hundred (6,500) Dollars for clerical hire for the year 1920-21, under the supervision of the High Standing Committee.

4. That the Finance Committee be empowered to employ an expert accountant, if in their judgment the best interests of the Order require it, under their supervision.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH J. FORRESTER,
ANNIE F. SULLIVAN,
THOMAS F. KELLEY,
Finance Committee.

SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

The Committee complying with Article XII, Section 8, of the Constitution, have audited the books of the High Secretary-Treasurer for the quarter ending March 31, 1920, and report as follows:

MORTUARY FUND

Balance cash on hand, January 1, 1920	$46,904 59
Received for assessments	153,668 97
Interest	333 41
Total receipts with balance	$200,906 07
Paid to beneficiaries	170,167 11
Balance cash on hand, March 31, 1920	$30,738 96

EMERGENCY FUND

Receipts	$1,308 00
Paid to Trustees	1,308 00

GENERAL FUND

Balance cash on hand, January 1, 1920	$21,745 44
Receipts	1,546 31
Interest	142 55
Total receipts with balance	$23,434 30
Expenditures	12,107 18
Balance cash on hand, March 31, 1920	$11,327 12

The Committee audited the books of the Trustees for the quarter ending March 31, 1920, and report as follows:

EMERGENCY FUND

Balance Emergency Fund, January 1, 1920	$1,106,070 42
Received from High Secretary-Treasurer	1,308 00

Net Income from Investments..... 8,981 60

Total Emergency Fund, March 31, 1920..... $1,116,360 02

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH J. FORRESTER,
ANNIE F. SULLIVAN,
THOMAS F. KELLEY,
Finance Committee.

ADJOURNED MEETING OF THE FORTY-FIRST ANNUAL SESSION OF THE MASSACHUSETTS CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS, 17 WORCESTER STREET, BOSTON, TUESDAY, JUNE 1, 1920

The meeting was called to order at 9.00 P. M. by Past High Chief Ranger Jeremiah G. Fennessey, who with the assistance of Brother Peter A. Welsh of St. Francis Court No. 4, Sister Annie Leahy of St. Clare Court No. 106, and Brother John J. Sheehan of Cathedral Court No. 1, installed the following officers:

High Chief Ranger, William J. Sullivan, SS. Peter and Paul Court No. 15.

High Vice-Chief Ranger, Thomas F. Haley, St. Francis Court No. 4.

High Secretary-Treasurer, Joseph J. Forrester, Americus Court No. 34.

High Senior Conductor, James E. O'Leary, Worcester Court No. 59.

High Junior Conductor, John J. Collins, John J. Leonard Court No. 238.

High Inside Sentinel, Dr. Helen I. Doherty, St. Clare Court No. 106.

High Outside Sentinel, John H. O'Hara, Jr., Essex Court No. 16.

High Medical Examiner, Francis J. Hanley, M.D., Union Court No. 89.

High Chaplain, Rev. James H. O'Neil, LL.D., Leo Court No. 5.

The High Secretary-Treasurer was then sworn in as follows:

Boston, Mass., June 1, 1920

Suffolk, ss.

Personally appeared before me Joseph J. Forrester, High Secretary-Treasurer of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters, and made oath to faithfully perform the duties of said office of High Secretary-Treasurer during the term of his election, and until his successor is installed.

Jeremiah G. Fennessey,
Justice of the Peace.

At the close of the exercises of the installation, Past High Chief Ranger Fennessey presented the newly installed High Chief Ranger, who, in well-chosen words, expressed his appreciation of the honor which had been conferred upon him and requested the same spirit of loyalty to actuate all in the discharge of their duties and in the promotion of the Organization by increasing its usefulness, which would promote the spirit of true unity, true fraternity, and true Christian charity, throughout our ranks.

On motion of Brother Thomas F. Haley of St. Francis Court No. 4, seconded by Brother James E. O'Leary of Worcester Court No. 59, it was voted that Brother Daniel H. Maguire of Merrimac Court No. 72, be declared a Past High Chief Ranger.

Among those who responded to the request for remarks under the good of the Order were: Past High Chief Ranger Jeremiah G. Fennessey, High Court Chaplain Rev. James H. O'Neil, LL.D., Past High Chief Ranger John F. Harrigan, Corporation Counsel Joseph A. Sheehan, High Vice-Chief Ranger Thomas F. Haley, High Senior Conductor James E. O'Leary, High Junior Conductor John J. Collins, High Inside Sentinel Dr. Helen I. Doherty, High Outside Sentinel John H. O'Hara, Jr., and High Secretary-Treasurer Joseph J. Forrester.

There being no further business, on motion of Past High Chief Ranger Jeremiah G. Fennessey, seconded by Corporation Counsel Hon. Joseph A. Sheehan, it was voted to adopt the records of the Annual Session, and that reading of them be dispensed with.

At 10.45 it was voted to adjourn.

Daniel H. Maguire, High Secretary-Treasurer.